

PASSENGER BOAT SUNK OFF WALES BY SUBMARINE

TALABA, WITH 260 ABOARD, VIC-
TIM OF GERMAN SUBMA-
RINE SUNDAY.

ITALY ESTABLISHES CENSORSHIP

No Military News to Be Permitted
After March 31st Accord-
ing To Orders.

(Associated Press)
London, Mch. 29.—The British
steamer Falaba, which left Liver-
pool Saturday for Africa with
140 passengers and a crew of
120 was sunk by a German subma-
rine off Wales Sunday. The
loss of life is probably very
heavy.

According to the officers the
steamer was preparing to carry
out the submarine's orders to
separate its boats when the tor-
pedo struck. Many were thrown
into the water while the subma-
rine around, but offered no assist-
ance to any of the survivors.

A fishing boat rescued 140 of
the passengers and crew. Captain
Davis was picked up dead.

NO WESTERN FIGHTS.
There were no important engage-
ments in France yesterday.

WAR SUMMARY.

(Associated Press)
Italy has declared a strict cen-
sorship on all military news commencing
March 31. According to Paris state-
ments Austria has agreed to cede part
of Trent to Italy at the conclusion of
the war in exchange for Italy's neu-
trality. Italy has deferred her answer
The Frankfurter Zeitung says that
the Roumanian ambassador has signed
an agreement to maintain neu-
trality.

GERMANS RETREAT.

On a point near the east Prussian
border the Germans have been forced
to abandon the first line of trenches.
According to the Petrograd statement
the Russians have gained access to
Hungary at several points and in
several points in the Carpathians.

According to Vienna, the Austrians
have been successful in the mountain
fighting, while the Russians suffered

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COUNCIL APPROVES CEMETERY LOT SALE

SPECIAL COMMITTEE REPORTS THAT EXTRA GROUND IS NEEDED.

The city commission met this morn-
ing in regular council session. The
committee, composed of Commis-
sioners Cahill, Schuler and Van Bibber,
appointed by Mayor Brinton at the
last meeting to investigate the propo-
sition of the city vacating a plot of
ground in Oakwood cemetery, just
west of the chapel, for the purpose of
being sold into single grave lots, brought
in a report that the single
lots were needed and the location of
the proposed site was good, and Com-
missioner Cahill moved the adoption
of the ordinance, which had been
read at the previous session. The or-
dinance was adopted.

A moving permit was granted Bert
Wallace, who will move a small frame
house in West Dixon.

Dr. Z. W. Moss was granted a sub-
division of assessment on the macadam
in front of lots he sold recently on
Crawford avenue and Everett street
in North Dixon.

James N. Sterling was also granted
subdivision of assessment on macadam
and sewer on lots he had recently
sold on Ottawa avenue and McKinney
street.

E. C. Parsons appeared before the
commission to ask that a water main
be extended to supply lots on the cor-
ner of Everett and North Jefferson.
Mr. Parsons has sold the property oc-
cupied by his home and has subdivided
the lots to the east of it. These lots
are unsupplied by water and the water
to the house he sold is secured from
the rear, from Fellows street.
Acting Mayor Henry Schmidt told Mr.
Parsons the situation would be looked
into and a report made.

TURKS DENY THERE HAVE BEEN ANY REAL DISORDERS

(Associated Press.)
Washington, D. C., March 29.
—The Turkish government,
through its Washington ambas-
sador, has denied that there
have been any disorders in
Urumiah, Persia.

NEW MEMBERS AT ST. PAUL'S SUNDAY

THIRTEEN YOUNG PEOPLE TAK-
EN INTO COMMUNION OF
LUTHERAN CHURCH.

Interesting and impressive ser-
vices were held at St. Paul's Lutheran
church Palm Sunday morning.
The pastor, Dr. Altman, preached a
forceful and helpful sermon. A full
choir rendered special music for the
occasion.

Five infants were baptised and the
names of thirteen young people were
added to the church membership
roll. Dr. Altman has been pastor of
this church four and one half years
and during these years he has added
to the church roll 297 members and
195 children, which is, indeed, a
splendid record.

St. Paul's church places much im-
portance on Palm Sunday services
and the congregation and pastor al-
ways endeavor to emphasize the
work on this day. The church was
filled Sunday morning and a large
congregation turned out last even-
ing at which Dr. Altman preached a
strong sermon for young people.

The altar and pulpit decorations
for both services, were appropriate
and beautiful.

DIXON CHOIR SANG WELL AT STERLING

PLEASED ENORMOUS AUDIENCE
SUNDAY—PRESENTED "THE
PRODIGAL SON."

The Methodist choir rendered their
cantata, "The Prodigal Son," at the
Fourth Street Methodist church in
Sterling, Sunday afternoon at four
o'clock, where a very appreciative
and large audience greeted them.

Rev. W. B. Doble of the Sterling
M. E. church led in prayer, followed
by a baritone solo "The Palms" by
Robert Anderson. Rev. Stone of this
city then gave a very interesting ad-
dress appropriate to Palm Sunday.

Special soloists for the cantata
were E. T. Bailey, Mrs. H. W. Harms,
Mrs. I. Campbell, Miss Bertha Ben-
nett, Mrs. Lee Read, Charles Floto,
Willard Beach. Great praise was
given Mrs. L. E. Edward, musical
director of the Dixon choir for the
splendid way she had them under her
direction. Miss Mary Hintz also
deserves praise for her excellent or-
gan work.

In closing the afternoon service,
Rev. W. B. Doble of the Sterling
church, said that words could not ex-
press their appreciation of the mu-
sic which had just greeted their ears,
but for the visitors to look over the
large audience and that alone with-
out words would tell their pleasure.

The Sterling choir is to make a
return visit to this city in the near-
future, when it is hoped that an ap-
preciative audience will gather to
hear them.

A special car carrying about 40
people left Dixon at 2:30 returning
about 6 o'clock. Following the
cantata, the choir members were
served a delicious banquet by the
Sterling church which was greatly
enjoyed by all and they returned
home feeling that their singing had
not only been a pleasure to their
audience but an occasion greatly to
be remembered by them all.

GEN. VON KLUCK IS INJURED

(Associated Press)
Berlin, Mch. 29.—It has been offi-
cially announced that Gen. von Kluck
who led the famous German rush to
Paris in the early days of the war,
has been slightly wounded. His inju-
ries are reported to have been caused
by shrapnel fire while he was inspect-
ing an advanced position of his army.
His condition is said to be very satis-
factory.

HAS MEASLES.

Little Helen Edwards, daughter of
Mr. and Mrs. Lew Edwards of North
Dixon is ill at her home with a se-
vere attack of the measles.

ATTORNEYS BEGIN ARGUMENTS IN BIG RAIL SITUATION

SHEEAN AND CARTER ORALLY
ARGUE THEIR CASES BEFORE
COMMERCE BODY.

EXPECT DECISION BEFORE APRIL

Contentions Involve Wages of 63,-
000 Trainmen Employed by
Western Railroads.

(Associated Press.)
Chicago, March 29.—Briefs in the
Western railroad wage case were filed
with the Board of Arbitration to-
day by James M. Sheean, attorney for
the railroads and by William S. Car-
ter, president of the Brotherhood of
Locomotive Firemen and Engi-
neers. Oral arguments was begun
and was expected to last two and
possibly three days. Decision by
the board on the demands of the men
for higher wages and other conces-
sions will be made on or before April
26 and will affect 63,000 engineers,
firemen and hostlers employed by 98
western railroads operating 140,000
miles of track.

Mr. Sheean's brief asserted that
the men failed utterly to establish
their contention that their labors
and responsibilities, and their pro-
ductive efficiency have increased
since their wages were adjusted by
arbitration in 1910, nor said brief,
had they made good their claim that
their earnings, despite a higher rate,
had been decreased in this period.
Their contentions, Mr. Sheean said
had not been proven by their own
exhibits, and had been disproved by
actual records quoted in the railway
exhibits.

The increased productivity of the
railroads was said in the brief to
have been due, not to any increased
effort of the men, but to stringent
economies in operation, and the ex-
penditure of \$660,000,000 in exten-
sions, additions and improvements to
property, including heavier power
and the reduction of curves and
grades. Of this sum \$220,000,000
was spent for the purpose of increas-
ing efficiency and safety and to ex-
pedite traffic movements. These im-
provements, Mr. Sheean said, have
naturally enabled the engineers to
earn their money in fewer hours
than prior to 1910. Firemen, he
said, actually shoveled five per cent
less coal now than in the previous
period. He said that the railroad
exhibit showing that to grant the 16
demands of the men would cost \$41,-
000,000 a year had not been contro-
verted. He pointed out the deprecia-
tion of dividend payments of recent years
and to the increasing use of labor
saving devices on engines. He re-
ferred to the high earnings attained
by some engineers and firemen and
asserted that the bulk of the en-
gineers average between \$170 and
\$180 a month and firemen between
\$110 and \$115.

The brief claimed that these pay-
roll figures demonstrated that the
present schedules provide full, fair
and adequate pay, whether measur-
ed by comparison with other trades
or by comparison with other railroad
employees who have like duties and
responsibilities, or by comparison
with engineers and firemen of the
east or the south and in making this
claim directed attention to the fact
that these pay-roll figures had not
been contradicted by the employees
whose names appeared thereon, not-
withstanding the fact that during the
hearing, while the railroad exhibits
were being introduced, Mr. Carter
stated to the board of arbitration:

"I have reached the conclusion
that our case is lost if we treat the
exhibits of the railroads too seriously."

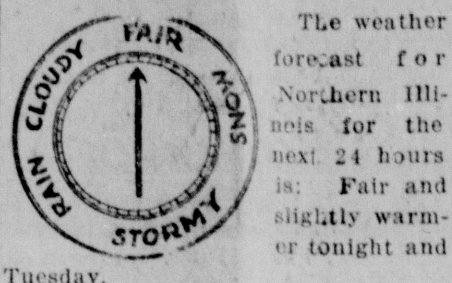
Carter also says in his argument
that the arbitrators should consider
the fact that the cost of living has
gone "skyrocketing" in recent years.
He dwelt upon the long hours that
the engineers work and the skill
necessary to conduct high speed
trains. He asserted that the out-
look for the companies was bright
with increased passenger and freight
rates on the way. He said the trend
of the industrial situation was up-
ward.

WINNEBAGO CO. QUARANTINED

(Associated Press)
Washington, Mch. 29.—Winnebago
county, Ill., was today made a closed
quarantine area by the Department of
Agriculture owing to the foot and
mouth disease there.

THE WEATHER

Telegraph Barometer.
Monday, March 29, 1915.



Local Temperatures.		
	Max.	Min.
Sunday	45	28
Monday	46	18

Dr. Henderson Chicago Leader Died This Morn

Held Chair of Sociology in
Chicago University
Charity Head

(Associated Press.)
Charleston, S. C., March 29. —Dr.
Charles R. Henderson, Professor of
Sociology in the University of Chi-
cago, died here today of paralysis
which is said to have been superin-
duced by overwork as chairman of
the Chicago United Charities, upon
which fell the burden of caring for
the unemployed last winter.
Prof. Henderson was widely
known for his work in sociology. In
1902, while pastor of the Woodward
avenue Baptist church of Detroit, he
was a member of the Arbitration
committee which was largely instru-
mental in settling the Detroit street
car strike.

DIXON WOMAN IS DEAD IN DETROIT

MISS MARY WHALEN PASSED
AWAY THERE SUNDAY—BUR-
IAL IN DIXON.

Word was received here today of
the death of Miss Mary Whalen, in
Detroit, Mich., Sunday evening. The
body of the former Dixon lady will be
brought to this city tonight and it is
expected that the funeral will be held
tomorrow morning from the home of
J. S. Keyser, 515 Spruce street.

Miss Whalen was born in New York
state about seventy years ago. She
came to Dixon when a young woman
and lived here for many years, until
after the death of her father, Thomas
Whalen, when she moved to Daven-
port and later to Detroit. She has no
close relatives in this vicinity. Miss
Whalen is well remembered by many
friends who are grieved to learn of
her death.

PROMINENT ATTORNEY IN DEAD

Hugh Ryan, a prominent attorney
of Milwaukee, son of the late Chief
Justice Ryan of Wisconsin, and a re-
sident of Dixon at the time of his
study in the offices of the late Judge
V. Eustace, died last week at his
home in Milwaukee. Attorney Ryan
will be remembered by many of the
older residents as having married the
daughter of the late John H. Law-
rence, who was one of the most
prominent men of Lee county.

SAYS MISS TANZER IS MISTAKEN

(Associated Press)
New York, Mch. 29. — Attorney
Speilberg, who has been retained by
Miss Rae Tanzer, charged with using
the mails to defraud in connection
with her \$50,000 breach of promise
suit against John W. Osborne, former
assistant district attorney, has an-
nounced that Miss Tanzer is mistaken
in her identification of Osborne as the
man who wooed her under the name
of Oliver Osborne. What action the
government will take is not known
at present.

ATTENDING I. C. SURGEONS MEET

Dr. W. R. Parwer left yesterday
for Memphis, Tenn., to attend the an-
nual meeting of the Illinois Central
and Y. & M. V. Railroad Surgeons
to be held in that city from March
31 to April 1. On the evening of
March 31 the Central Surgeons will
banquet the Y. & M. V. Surgeons at
the Hotel Chisca, headquarters for the
meeting.

William G. M'Adoo, Secretary Of the United States Treasury.



Photos by American Press Association.

Concern was felt for the recovery of Secretary of the Treasury William G.
McAdoo shortly after his operation for appendicitis. He did not respond as
quickly as it was expected he would because he had let the operation go too
long and was in a weakened condition. While it was admitted that he was
in a serious condition, it was hoped that he would eventually recover. The
doctors at that time said he might not be able to leave his bed for several
weeks. There are two late pictures of the secretary.

REAL REEL PLOT ENACTED IN DIXON EARLY THIS MORN

BOLD VILLAIN FROM STERLING
FROM STERLING GOT SLOTH-
OWER'S CASH AND EXCITED
VAN BIBBER.

GREAT THRILLER MISSES CAMERA

Promise of Tragedy "What His Wife
Said," Made By Picture
Man.

(The following is an amateur's
first attempt at writing a scenario for
a moving picture—shall it be called a
comedy or a drama—play. The inci-
dents are based on actual happenings
with a very intense desire on the part
of the writer to stick to the truth.)

DRAMATIS PERSONAE.

George Slothower—Moving picture
boss and Treasurer Stone, from Ster-
ling—History unknown.
Ben Smith—Conductor on S. D. &
E. Interurban car.
John Gaffney—Sergeant of Police,
Dixon.

W. G. Kent—Police Magistrate.
Wants to know "what are doing."
Mob—Including a couple of news-
gatherers, excited populace, etc.

Scene I.

Interurban car coming to Dixon,
due here at 9 a. m. today. Stone se-
ated in car, Smith in charge. (Enter
Slothower at River road, carrying big
leather sack. Slothower gets to read-
ing of the U. S. F-4, sunk in Honolu-
lu Harbor, and thinks what a swell
film that would make. Puts heavy
leather sack—said to contain \$74.75
—on seat beside him, and buries him-
self in paper—which he has found on
seat.)

No words are spoken until after
Slothower gets off car at Galena av-
enue and First street. Then Smith,
conductor, seeing leather sack on the
seat asks Stone if it belongs to him—
Stone says "Yes," puts sack in pocket
of his overcoat and gets off car.

Scene II.

Streets of Dixon. Enter Slothower
rushing around like man with St.
Vitus dance. Approaches VanBibber
who gets description of "tall, dark
villainous looking man" and goes
sleuthing. Slothower afraid to go
home to dinner goes hungry, for the
scoondrel has taken all his cash.

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DIXON TO HAVE HER PICTURES TAKEN TUESDAY

"MOVIE MEN" WILL MAKE REELS
OF CITY ALL DAY TO-
MORROW.

CROWDS IN THE AFTERNOON

Residents of City Are Asked to Get
Into the Pictures of Street
Scenes.

Dixon will be pictured from all
angles tomorrow—all good-looking
angles, at least. The movie man
has mapped out his schedule and will
start at 9 o'clock in the morning to
take moving pictures of as many of
the points of interest in the city as he
can get in on the reel and during the
bright hours of the day.

Get in the Pictures.

It is very important that the peo-
ple of Dixon be on the down town
streets during the hours when the
down town pictures are taken, for
Dixon must be dressed up in its best
tomorrow. The streets scenes,
which will be taken between the
hours of 2 and 4:30, should show
good sized crowds of people. Get
yourself in the movies and then have
a look when the pictures are shown
and you can see yourself as others
see you.

If tomorrow should be stormy or
very cloudy, the pictures will not be
taken, but the same schedule will
prevail on Wednesday.

Schedule for Day.

If tomorrow is sunny or only a
trifle cloudy, the pictures will be tak-
en tomorrow and the following
schedule will be observed.

9 a. m. Milk factory.
9:30 looking up the river from the
Galena avenue, or Lincoln Highway
bridge.

10 a. m. Wire mill.
10:30 Cement plant.
11:15 Brown Shoe factory.
12:00 Grand Detour Plow works.
1 p. m. City officials.
2 p. m. Run by fire department.
3 to 4:30 p. m. street scenes in the
down town district, city hall, post-
office, court house, Elks club, and
panoramic view of the city from the
roof of the Nachusa Tavern.

5 p. m. views of Lowell Park.
The downtown street scenes will
be especially worth seeing for there
will be a little comedy injected into
the affair when "Reuben" tries to
mail a letter in a fire alarm box and
succeeds in creating all kinds of a
disturbance by calling out the fire
department.

THOMAS REILLY IN HIS FINAL SLEEP

WELL KNOWN YOUNG MAN
PASSED AWAY SATURDAY
EVENING.

Thomas Reilly passed away on
Saturday afternoon at 5:45 o'clock
at his home on Monroe avenue after
an illness of a number of weeks, his
death being due to a complication
of diseases. Some eight years ago
while employed as a brakeman on
the Illinois Central railroad he was
struck on the head by the water
spout at the tank at the Dixon yards
and was knocked from the top of a
car and was quite seriously injured
and he never fully recovered from
the effects of the same.

Mr. Reilly was born in Dixon July
4, 1889. He attended the public school
in this city and when reaching his
majority he accepted a position as
brakeman on the Illinois Central rail-
road. He was a young man and by his
quiet ways made many friends. He
leaves to mourn his death one sister,
Miss Mae, and five brothers, Michael,
John, Philip, Paul and William, all of
this city.

The funeral was held this morning
at 9:30 o'clock from the house and at
10 o'clock from St. Patrick's church
with interment at Oakwood cemetery.
A large delegation for railroad men
was here from Freeport and Amb.
to attend the funeral.

ACCEPTED POSITION.

Frank Gorham of this city has
gone to Oregon where he has accept-
ed a position as piano player at the
Star theater in that city.

Vest Pocket Essays

EXERCISE.

Exercise is the process of making a duty out of physical recreation.

The world is full of happy young men who are neglecting their work in order to play golf, swim in gymnasiums and walk over the green April hills. That is all pleasure.

The world is also well supplied with older men who drag themselves away from their work with regret to do the same things. That's exercise.

When a man does no manual labor except to trim coupons off a stack of bonds once a month his muscles get as flabby and gummy as an old printer's roller and his liver begins to loaf on the job. He must then take exercise or fill a tastefully designed tomb considerably ahead of scheduled time.

Taking exercise is as pleasant as taking medicine out of a bottle. There is no more pathetic sight than that of a fat captain of industry trudging down a country lane on foot with a valet carrying his sweater in a \$6,000 limousine close behind.

Some of these people pay thousands of dollars in order to go to Europe and trudge down country lanes on foot. but that is not exercise. It is pleasure.

The government should pass an amendment to the corporation law making it a criminal offense for directors to take exercise. Then the capitalists would shriek with rage and employ high-priced lawyers to find a loop hole in the law which would enable them to chop two cords of wood a day.

This would be hard on the high-priced physicians, but it would preserve our moneyed class and would make exercise a pleasure.

Everyone needs exercise but it is like salvation. It is too free. If there was a law against walking down to work in the morning and beating the street car companies out of their just fare, we would all become pedestrians with patriotic shouts.

Exercise is like alcoholic stimulants. The more you take the more you need. The eminent baseball specialists of this country spend all summer in the fiercest kind of exercise and then have to spend all summer running around, trotting tracks under blankets in order to get enough exercise to put them in shape to take their summer exercise.

This was formerly not true, however, of the fielders who worked behind Walter Johnson. In the summer of 1913 it became necessary to provide these athletes with Indian clubs during the game in order to keep them from mouldering away in inaction.

Dementtown Doings

Ladies, this is positively the last week in which you can work the old man for new gown, bonnet, shoes, etc.

Incidentally, while giving advice, this col. advises all of its readers to be especially careful about kicking hats, picking up pocketbooks, etc., on next Thursday.

People of the United States used \$21,000,000 worth of chewing gum last year and we'll bet that a certain Dixon woman who attends the movies must have chewed the major part of the output.

There is a decided coolness between two Dixon women who were intimate friends for twenty years. One has now had one more operation than the other.

A fervid war correspondent writes his paper that a flying shell shrieks and groans. At that it has nothing on its victims.

A Chicago newspaper asks "Where is Lesterickey?" We hazard a guess that he may be in Sterling since they have lost gin rickey there.

They've got a new name for the fitznes. "Nickel snipers" they call 'em now.

WILL BUILD HOME.

Phil N. Marks has purchased of E. C. Parsons a lot on Chamberlain street, a half block west of the John Dixon park, and will build a handsome residence at once.

Rupture

DR. M. H. BROWN
Has Returned From His New York Office and Will See His Patients at the
DIXON INN HOTEL, DIXON, WEDNESDAY, MARCH 31

From 8 a. m. to 2 p. m. Sharp.
All who are ruptured are invited to call. Twenty-four years' experience, over 80,000 examinations of ruptured people, over 4,000 patients in Illinois to refer to, Dr. Brown is recognized as the greatest expert in America on the Mechanical Treatment of Hernia. Let him strengthen your weakened muscles and cure your rupture. Examination free. Remember, large ruptures were once small, hence the sooner you begin treatment the quicker a cure can be effected. If you must wear a truss for comfort and safety, wear a

THE WUNDERTRUSS
Without leg straps, elastic bands or steel springs, guaranteed to hold after all others fail and much easier than other trusses. Sixty days' trial. Endorsed by thousands, many in this city. No experimenting, no guesswork. Call or write for book and future dates to 45 W. 34th St., New York City.

MAY STAGE TOURNEY OF PIN ARTISTS HERE

LOCAL BOWLERS CONTEMPLATE MEET FOR NORTHERN ILLINOIS LATE IN APRIL.

The interest in bowling is now intense all over the country and there is getting to be as great interest shown among the enthusiasts as in baseball. Nearly every city of any size has its league and many of the "knights of the pin" have been rolling up good scores. The international tourney which opened at Peoria on March 10 and closes tomorrow brought together teams from all parts of the country and daily there have been large crowds in attendance.

A movement is now being talked over among the bowlers in the northern part of the state to hold a tournament during the latter part of April and the games to be played in Dixon. The idea is to get all towns interested as far west as Clinton, Iowa, south to LaSalle, north to Rockford and east to DeKalb. Cash prizes will be hung up and the purses will be split up so that several of the teams can have a chance of carrying away some of the money.

HOLD QUARTERLY MEETING.

The regular quarterly meeting will be held at Grace Evangelical church on Friday evening of this week. Rev. Yeakle will be present and have the services in charge.

WEEKLY SPORTING LETTER

Associated Press Expert Tells of Interesting Events in the World of Sport -- Live Sporting News From all over the World.

New York, March 29.—The history of the prize ring offers no parallel of the battle for the world's heavyweight championship in which Jack Johnson and Jess Willard will engage next Monday at Havana, Cuba. Big men have fought for this premier title of fistiana since the early days of the eighteenth century but never through the long list of champions from James Figg to Jim Jeffries have two fighters of the physical proportions of Willard and Johnson crossed arms in the roped arena.

Of modern times Corbett, Jeffries and Johnson all passed the six foot mark while Sullivan, Sharkey and Fitzsimmons were from one to three inches below this height. When the negro title holder and his challenger step into the ring next Monday, Willard will tower six feet, six inches in the air, while Johnson will stand five and a half inches below him. In weight these fighters are also far above the ring average of the heavyweight class. Willard will weigh close to 235 pounds which will give him an advantage of about twenty pounds over Johnson in the clinching, which will doubtless play an important part in the battle.

Next to Jim Jeffries, the Goliath of modern ring times, Johnson is the biggest man who ever held the title. Jeffries weighed 220 pounds and stood six feet one and a half inches in fighting shoes; Johnson is six feet one half inch tall and weighs about 215 in condition; Jim Corbett scaled 187 pounds, at his best and was 6 feet one inch tall; Fitzsimmons was one and one-fourth of an inch shorter and fought at about 170 pounds; Sullivan stood 5 feet ten and one-half inches and fought at 195 pounds; Tom Sharkey was five feet nine inches and fought his best bouts at close to 190 pounds.

Compared with these past heavyweight gladiators Willard appears as a Sampson. Even when ranged alongside of Johnson the Kansas cowboy over shadows the negro title holder in almost every point of physical measurements. In addition to his 5 and one-half inch advantage in height and ten years' difference in age he outweighs Johnson by 20 pounds. His reach of 83 1/2 inches against the negro's 76 inches, will also prove of exceptional value if properly used. In all the measurements of trunk and limbs, Willard shows an advantage in structure, muscle and chest expansion varying from two to four inches.

To offset these physical assets Johnson has the benefit of wisdom and craft cultivated during his long career as championship contender and holder. Just as Willard surpasses Johnson in every point of physical make-up the Galveston pugilist excels the Kansas boxer in all departments of the science of giving and avoiding glove punishment. With youth and power ranged against experience and skill, the battle is likely to develop into a contest in which ring tragedy will equal brute strength and courage.

Johnson's ring assets are well known but incertainties clouds Willard's prospects. In his short period of active glove battling he has never faced an opponent of the power, skill and experience of Johnson. The negro is no physical weakling even at the age of 38 year and Willard must be accorded the advantage here it is likely that the champions offensive and defensive skill in both boxing and clinching will nullify this to a considerable extent. In the closing rounds of the battle it is probable that endurance and courage will play an important part.

Willard has shown both these qualities but up to the present time has not been noted for aggressiveness or boxing ability. Whether he can rise to the opportunity will be demonstrated in the supreme test at Havana next Monday. The future drawing powers of a new champion, towering far above many of his predecessors, add a glamor to the battle which the promoters have in mind since they began the preliminary arrangements some months ago.

That the match making was not without its delays and upsets is shown by the fact that if the pugilists meet as scheduled next Monday six months will have elapsed since the day Jack Curley and the other promoters of the big bout decided upon securing Johnson's signature to the articles of agreement. The big champion was in France at that time and Curley was entrusted with the commission to go and find the Texas negro and secure his endorsement on the articles which had been signed by Willard a day or two previously. The syndicate which promoted the bout had picked Willard as the most promising white heavyweight to take the title from Johnson, and they still believe that the Kansan will prove the victor.

Curley arrived in Paris, France, early in November, only to find that Johnson had gone to London, Eng. There Curley found him and after a good deal of persuasion succeeded in securing the champion's signature and consent. The moment Johnson signed his name to the contract, which stipulated that the contest should be scheduled for twenty to forty-five rounds, Curley handed \$1,000 to Johnson, which was half the amount to be allowed his for traveling and training expenses. This contract, bearing the date of November 16, last, assures Johnson that his end of the purse \$20,000 shall be paid to him before he enters the ring and that in addition Johnson is to receive one-half of the net amount received from moving pictures to be taken of the contest.

Curley came back to America and completed arrangement to hold the fight on the race track at Juarez, Mexico, on March 6. Early in January, Curley received a cable from Johnson at Buenos Aires, and immediately wired him \$1,000 the other half of the expense money, from New York and left for Juarez the day following. At that time and for several weeks afterward Curley believed that the bout would surely take place at Juarez but subsequently he had to change all his plans.

Willard left New York for El Paso, Texas, in January and began training at the Kaublack Ranch, January 25, where he remained hard at work for a month. Meanwhile Curley was disturbed with rumors that Johnson would not be able to reach Mexico in time. The negro and his party arrived at Barbadoes, B. W. I., February 8, and sailed from that port for Cuba three days later. On February 21 Johnson reached Havana and kept the wires to Mexico busy with messages to the effect that he would not fight at Juarez.

Curley was persistent in his efforts to bring off the bout as scheduled and started for Havana, where he met Johnson on March 3. There he made arrangements to have the bout take place at Havana on April 3, but finally settled every detail for the decision of the world's championship at the Marianao race track for Sunday but has since been postponed until Monday.

In the meantime Willard had broken up his training camp and had started for Los Angeles, Cal., but was induced to return to Texas. He got to El Paso on March 11, and accompanied by his manager and handlers left for New Orleans, en route to Havana the same day, arriving in Cuba March 16.

Heavyweight Championship Bout Under Queensbury Rules.

Sept. 7, 1892.—At New Orleans, La., J. J. Corbett knocked out John L. Sullivan, 21 rounds.

Jan. 25, 1894.—At Jacksonville, La., Jim Corbett knocked out John Mitchell, champion of England, 3 rounds.

March 17, 1897.—At Carson City, Nev., Bob Fitzsimmons knocked out J. J. Corbett, 14 rounds.

June 9, 1899.—At Coney Island, N. Y., Jas. J. Jeffries knocked out Bob Fitzsimmons, 11 rounds.

Nov. 3, 1899.—At Coney Island, N. Y., J. J. Jeffries won from Thomas J. Sharkey, challenger, 25 rounds.

July 25, 1902.—At San Francisco, Cal., J. J. Jeffries knocked out Bob Fitzsimmons, 8 rounds.

August 14, 1903.—At San Francisco, Cal., J. J. Jeffries knocked out J. J. Corbett, challenger, 10 rounds.

August 26, 1904.—At San Francisco, Cal., J. J. Jeffries knocked out Jack Monroe, challenger, 2 rounds.

July 3, 1905.—J. J. Jeffries, having previously announced his retirement officiated as referee at Reno, Nev., and declared Marvin Hart the champion when the latter knocked out Jack Root, 12 rounds.

February 23, 1906.—At Los Angeles, Cal., Tommy Burns won from Marvin Hart, 20 rounds.

May 7, 1907.—At Los Angeles, Cal., Tommy Burns won from Jack O'Brien, 20 rounds.

July 4, 1907.—At Colma, Cal., Tommy Burns knocked out Bill Squires, 1 round.

Dec. 26, 1908.—At Sydney, Australia, Jack Johnson (colored) won from Tommy Burns, 14 rounds.

Oct. 16, 1909.—At Colma, Cal., Jack Johnson knocked out Stanley Ketchell, 12 rounds.

July 4, 1910.—At Reno, Nev., Jack Johnson, knocked out J. J. Jeffries, 15 rounds.

July 4, 1912.—At Las Vegas, N.M., Jack Johnson won from Jim Flynn, 9 rounds.

June 27, 1914.—At Paris, France, Jack Johnson won from Frank Moran, 20 rounds.

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Pictureplay Department

Studio Notes



Retribution.

Senator Cullom faces not only political and financial ruin, but it is in the power of the governor to send him to prison. The governor demands Mary, the beautiful daughter of the senator, as the price of the senator's salvation. Jim, Mary's lover, has called, and while Mary is telling him about her father the governor is in his office with Waldo, a mysterious young hunchback, of whom the governor seems to be afraid. He gives Waldo money. Mary returns to her father just in time to prevent him from shooting himself. She compels him to tell her the whole story and then says she will marry the governor in order to save her father. En route to make a personal appeal to the chief executive her automobile strikes down Waldo; she cares for him and wins his gratitude. The governor tells Mary that she must marry him to save her father. Jim, Mary's lover, is persistent, but she tells him to leave her. She is sobbing in her grief when Waldo approaches and comforts her. Just as Mary and the governor are to be wedded Waldo, followed by Jim, appears and cries: "He ruined my mother and then killed her and I have kept his secret—because I am his son." The governor slips away and in his private office takes his own life. A Selig Polyscope production dealing with plot and counter-plot and filled with exciting situations.

Every Saturday the Selig Polyscope company releases a Jungle-Zoo Wild Animal picture play in one reel. These are eagerly anticipated by the photo play public. The children like to see these productions and are educated by them in the study of natural history and geography. Not only will the Selig Polyscope company release one reel Jungle-Zoo photo plays, but in the future some magnificent multiple reels will be presented.

"The Clam-Shell Suffragette" is a Selig one-reel comedy which is sure to incite the laughter of all. It shows how Willie, who marries a rich woman, is finally compelled to go to work sawing wood. There is a chuckle in every inch of this film.

Frank Gotch, champion wrestler of the world, was paid \$100,000 by the Selig Polyscope company to engage in championship wrestling matches to be filmed. These and other athletic feats will be released starting early in April and will prove attractive to lovers of picture plays.

"A Texas Steer," Charles Hoyt's most laughable comedy, will be a special release by the Selig Polyscope company in the near future. Tyrone Powers enacts the role of "Maverick Brandner" and does some of the best work of his long career as an actor.

DIXON TAKES THREE GAMES FROM STERLING

INTERESTING FOWLING CONTEST WAS STAGED AT Y. M. C. A. SATURDAY.

The bowling teams of the Y. M. C. A. of both Dixon and Sterling met on Saturday evening at the local alleys and the Dixon team made it three straight games winning out by 234 pins to the good. This is the fourth game that the two association teams have played in the past few weeks and the Dixon teams have won three. The tabulated score was as follows:

	Dixon.		Sterling.
Poole	119	151	171
Moore	156	195	196
Bailey	179	139	138
Rogers	170	164	159
Raymond	170	168	170
	794	808	834
Smith	147	142	164

Linn	114	120	120
Trouth	153	146	132
Wise	172	161	158
Dly	162	131	156
	753	700	730

draw lots between them to see which takes on Sterling first.

REMOVED TO HOME.

Mrs. J. M. McCleary has so far recovered from her recent operation that she was removed to her home on Saturday afternoon.

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Society Notes of Dixon and Vicinity

CALENDAR EVENTS FOR COMING WEEK

Monday.
Peoria Ave. Club—Mrs. Watson.
Dixon lodge No. 39—L. O. O. F. hall.
Chapter A. C. Ill. P. E. O.—Mrs. W. F. Strong.
Friendship lodge, Special meeting—Masonic hall.
Thursday.
Modern Woodmen of America—Miller hall.
W. C. O. F.—Knights of Columbus hall.
Basket social—Prairieville town hall.
Loyal Order of Moose—Moose hall.
Friday.
Dorothy chapter O. E. S.—Masonic hall.
Knights and Ladies of Security—Union hall.

Many At Dance.

About sixty couples attended the regular dance given in the Armory on Saturday evening and all the young people had a most enjoyable time, inasmuch as the dance was the first that had been held for several weeks. Music was furnished by the Marquette orchestra.

Program and Box Supper.

There will be a program and box supper given at the Walker school five miles southwest of Dixon on Thursday evening, April 1st.
All ladies are cordially invited to bring baskets. Fernie Manning, teacher.

Attended Cantata.

Among the Dixon people who attended the cantata, "The Prodigal Son," given by the Dixon Methodist choir at the Fourth Street M. E. church in Sterling yesterday were: Mrs. Robert Caughey, Charles H. Keyes, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Watts, Miss Mary Wynn, Judge Scott and family, Mrs. Avery Manges, Miss Emma Beiers, Fred Putterbaugh, Mrs. John Lievan, Mrs. Ed Graves and Mrs. Richard Schuck.

Sunday Dinner Guests.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank J. Rosbrook entertained friends at dinner Sunday.

Home from Iowa.

Mrs. C. H. Noble and Mrs. Lillian Benjamin returned Saturday from a two weeks' visit with Mrs. Ed Merriam in Council Bluffs, Iowa.

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Special meeting.

There will be a special meeting on Wednesday afternoon of the Ladies Social Circle of Prairieville held in the parlors of the church at Prairieville. It is desired that as many as possible attend.

Nachusa Tavern Guests.

Among the guests dining at the Nachusa Tavern, yesterday were: O. B. Dodge and wife, A. H. Tillson and wife, Harvey Sindlinger, M. J. Gannon, John S. Wetzler, E. J. Sears, E. W. Smith, Miss Ingraham, Miss Bacharach, Miss Rosenthal, Miss Ruth Smith, Thomas Williamson, J. A. Snyder, Mr. and Mrs. Guy Miller, Mr. and Mrs. E. H. English, L. Martin, R. S. Farrand and wife, Miss Marjorie Harkins, R. Held, Mr. Dahl, Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Gannon, and Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Kent and daughter.

Dinner Party at Tavern.

Mrs. Martin Parks of Moline, Ill., and Mrs. Karl Prestin of Sterling, Ill., entertained at dinner at the Nachusa Tavern, Saturday evening, the following young ladies: Miss Anna Jensen, Miss Myrtle Rice, Miss Avis Thompson, Miss Bernice Friedline, Miss Inez Palmer, Miss Gladys Gonneman, Miss Marie Leslie, Mrs. Aleta Houghton, Mrs. Bess Hintz, Mrs. Eugene Rolph, all of this city and Mrs. E. E. Holdridge and Jane Ward of Sterling. Following a dainty dinner, the evening was spent in music and dancing.

Basket Social.

There will be a basket social in the town hall at Gap Grove on Thursday evening, April 1st, under the auspices of the Ladies Social Circle of Prairieville. The public is cordially invited to attend and all may anticipate a delightful evening.

Visited Parents.

Vincent Arnould, Jr., and wife of Ashton spent Sunday in this city visiting with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Vincent Arnould of Hennepin avenue. Ray Arnould of this city accompanied them home for a few days' visit.

Dined at Tavern.

A. E. Taylor entertained his two daughters, Mrs. Parks of Moline and Mrs. Karl Prestin of Sterling at dinner at the Tavern Sunday.

Home for Vacation.

Miss Helen Clark of DeKalb Normal is home for a week's spring vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Clark of Highland avenue.

Visiting in Richmond.

Miss Marjorie Wingert is spending her Easter vacation in Richmond, Va., the guest of a school friend.

Class Party.

Pupils of the eighth grade will be entertained at the home of Charles and Harold Rowland, Wednesday evening.

Guest from Capitol.

William Bardwell of East Second street is entertaining Robert and Porter Butt of Springfield, Ill.

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Dinner Party.

Mrs. G. H. Squires, Miss Squires, E. C. Parsons and grand-daughter, Harriett, formed a dinner party at the Nachusa Tavern Sunday.

Amboy Visitors.

Mrs. Thomas Houghton and daughter Emma of Amboy are Dixon visitors today.

Home for Vacation.

Miss Cecile Cortright, teacher in the Polo schools, arrived home Friday evening to spend the spring vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Nathan Cortright of East Fellows street.

Visited in Amboy.

Miss Agnes Conley and Miss Lucile Conley of this city were Sunday guests at the home of Miss Elizabeth Morriss in Amboy.

Entertained at Dinner.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Whitebread of the Chicago Road had at their dinner guests yesterday, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Tippet and family, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Franks, Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Huggins and daughter, Dellors of this city.

Celebrated Wedding Anniversary.

Mr. and Mrs. George Graehling of 221 East Fellows street opened their spacious home yesterday, at which time they were honored guests at a pleasant gathering commemorating their twenty-fifth wedding anniversary. The affair was a complete surprise to Mr. and Mrs. Graehling, who returned about noon to find their home completely taken possession of by thirty-five relatives and friends.

At noon a delicious dinner was served after which the afternoon was pleasantly spent in music and a social time. The dining room was attractively decorated in pink and white, bouquets of carnation and ferns adorning the table.

Twenty-five years ago last Friday March 25th Miss Anna S. Dea of Sterling and Mr. George W. Graehling of Polo were united in marriage at the parsonage of the Evangelical Lutheran church at Polo by Rev. R. R. Reeser. Among those present yesterday who were guests at the wedding were, Mr. Graehling's sister and brothers, Mrs. Andrew Peters, Will, Adolph and James Graehling. The couple went to housekeeping on the former's farm, located six miles southwest of Polo, where they resided until three years ago they moved to their present home in North Dixon. Their family consists of six children, Jessie, wife of Merle McCartney of Polo, Ruth, Clara, Violet, Olive and Alexander, all at home.

Mr. and Mrs. Graehling were the recipients of many handsome gifts as remembrances of the happy occasion. The guests who participated in the celebration yesterday were: Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Peters and family of Milledgeville, Mr. and Mrs. William Graehling and family, Mr. and Mrs. Merle McCartney and son, Donald, Adolph Graehling and daughter, Irene, Mr. and Mrs. James Graehling and family of Polo, Miss Nellie Diehl of Lanark, Mr. and Mrs. Shumaker and family of Sterling.

Married at High Noon.

Rev. F. D. Altman, pastor of the Lutheran church in this city performed the wedding ceremony at high noon today which united the lives of Miss Pearl Isabelle Hardway of Paw Paw, Ill., and George H. Wheaton of Fairbury, Livingston county. The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. S. P. Hardway of Paw Paw and has a large circle of friends. Mr. Wheaton is a prosperous farmer, residing near Fairbury.

The couple were attended by C. Fred Hammarstrom of this city and Henry Krots and daughter, Sadie and Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Hardway of Ashton.

Visit in Chicago.

Miss Mae Downing, Latin teacher in the Dixon high school, has gone to Chicago to spend her Easter vacation. She was accompanied by Miss Josephine Whittish, who will visit for a week in the city with her aunt and uncle.

Guests at McCarty Home.

Charles McCarty and daughter, Miss Mary of Freeport were Sunday guests at the home of the former's son, Charles McCarty, Jr. Francis McCarty, a brother of the host was also a guest.

Here from Oregon.

Mr. and Mrs. Dave Boose of Oregon visited with friends in this city Sunday.

CAN'T FIND DANDRUFF

Every bit of dandruff disappears after one or two applications of Danderine rubbed well into the scalp with the finger tips. Get a 25 cent bottle of Danderine at any drug store and save your hair. After a few applications you can't find a particle of dandruff or any falling hair, and the scalp will never itch.

Went to Chicago.

Mrs. Della Madden and daughter, Marie of this city went to Chicago on Saturday to spend the week with the former's son, Loyal.

Will Visit in Chicago.

Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Dollahan and son Lesley have gone to Chicago for a few days' visit.

PASSENGER STEAMER SUNK OFF WALES

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heavy losses at Krasnople, the Germans taking a thousand prisoners, according to Berlin claims.

FRENCH SHIPS DAMAGED

The French battleships Gaulois and Suffren are returning to France, having been seriously damaged in the recent bombardment in the Dardanelles.

BRITISH STEAMER SUNK.

The British steamer Agulla has been sunk in the English Channel by a submarine. The crew was saved.

The French liner Falba is in distress in the Bristol channel, the victim of a submarine.

GERMANS RESTRICTED.

Reviewing the naval operations in the Baltic, Petrogram alleges that several German units have been damaged and that the movements of the Germans have been materially restricted.

GIDEONS TO PLACE BIBLES IN HOTELS

VICE PRESIDENT THOMAS WAS HERE YESTERDAY IN INTEREST OF GOOD WORK.

F. G. Thomas, vice president of the Illinois State Gideons, of Freeport, was in Dixon yesterday and raised sufficient funds to place bibles in every room in the Nachusa Tavern. The money to buy the fifty-one bibles was raised at meetings in two churches.

Mr. Thomas stated to a Telegraph reporter this morning that he will be back in Dixon within a short time and would attempt to raise funds to place a bible in every other hotel room in the city, and he had no doubt that the effort would be successful. The Gideons work without pay and have done wonderful work in this state and in others in placing bibles in the hotel rooms, where they are a comfort to lonely travelers.

SMALLPOX AT STATE UNIVERSITY IN HAND

Health Authorities Calm Fears of Parents.

Decatur, Ill., March 29.—Dr. C. St. Clair Drake, secretary of the state board of health, issued the following statement relative to the cases of smallpox existing in Champaign:

"After a careful survey of the situation today by the state board of health, the opinion is expressed that there is no cause for alarm on the part of parents of students at the state university.

"The local health authorities and the university authorities have the situation well in hand and there is no necessity of and no additional security to be obtained by calling the students to their homes.

"The city, university, and state officials are co-operating to the end that not only the student body and residents of Champaign and Urbana are afforded every protection but also the traveling public shall not be endangered."

Capt. "Pat" Carmody Dead.

St. Louis, March 29.—Captain Patrick J. Carmody, Civil war veteran and prominent race horse owner ten years ago, died here at age of seventy-nine.

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REAL REEL PLOT ENACTED IN DIXON

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Slothower approaches newspaper men and asks their help, but said newspaper men remembered how all officers sidestepped on last investigation in Dixon, say, "Tell your troubles to policeman. Said Slothower finally finds one to tell 'em to, and he does it.

Scene III.

Interurban car leaving Dixon at noon. Slothower is informed by Smith that man who got sack is on car. Looks for cop. Sees Gaffney half block away. Yells like \$74.75 and man—who wears brown overcoat and had gray mustache—is taken from car.

Scene IV.

Kent's Office—Gaffney, Slothower, Stone and mob enter.

Enter Kent—What's this all about?

(No answer.)
Stone digs up sack, Slothower gets his money, looks cheap and asks tragically, "What will my wife say?"

Note—The tragedy which will follow what his wife said will be staged in a separate film under that title. Watch for

What His Wife Said.

OBJECT THOUGHT F-4 OLD ANCHOR

Sunken U. S. Submarine Has Not Been Located.

DRAWING WILL BE CONTINUED

Two Days' Work Seeking to Bring Wrecked War Vessel to Surface in Vain—All Hope for Crew Has Been Abandoned—Divers Make the Discovery.

Honolulu, March 29.—The hulk which for two days rescuers have been trying to bring to the surface under the impression that it was the sunken American submarine F-4, with twenty-one men aboard, was only an old anchor, it was learned when divers went down and investigated.

When the cables attached to the anchor broke Saturday all hope for the submarine's crew was abandoned. The work of dragging for the submarine has been continued.

Great disappointment was felt when the announcement was made that the searchers had thus far failed to locate the lost ship.

Find Section of Periscope.

The truth of the situation was revealed by Diver Arago of the submarine service, who went down 215 feet. The search has been renewed with the hope that the hull of the unfortunate boat will soon be located. This hope is chiefly inspired by the fact that the searchers in the vicinity of the spot where it is believed the F-4 lies brought up a section of her periscope. In addition to this oil bubbles continue to float to the surface.

The crew have been at the bottom of the sea now for more than seventy-two hours and there seems to be no possibility that anyone could remain alive. So far as known the feat of the diver in diving to the depth of 215 feet is a world's record. Heretofore the deepest dive has been about 180 feet.

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JAP ELECTIONS OPEN NEW ERA IN HISTORY

Landslide to Ministerial Side Reveals Progress.

Tokio, March 29.—The result of the general election shows a landslide for the ministerial side. Mr. Osaka, minister of justice, has scored a record breaking victory in the history of Japanese elections by polling 8,432 votes.

The causes of the Seiyukai defeat are, first, the fact that the people have become tired of its despotism because of the majority it commanded for many years in the house of representatives; second, its policy of nominating for candidates too many former representatives, thus obstructing the entrance into the political arena of new men; third, the party had no definite platform to combat the opposing party.

On the other hand Count Okuma aroused the enthusiasm of the people and enlisted their sympathy by his many struggles in spite of his old age and has reaped the fruits of years of labor in education and liberal propaganda. This coupled with the dislike of the people to change the cabinet at this critical time when Japan is engaged in the war and important negotiations with China, brought about this overwhelming victory for the Okuma cabinet.

The election opens a new chapter in the history of Japanese constitutional development.

MISS WILSON AIDS CHARITY

Her Voice on Record in "Star Spangled Banner" for Sufferers.

Washington, March 29.—Miss Margaret Wilson, daughter of the president, has just concluded recording "The Star Spangled Banner" on a musical record and has agreed to turn over her royalties to the international board of relief, an organization working in the war stricken cities of Europe.

Miss Wilson's income from her recorded voice on this one record will help relieve several hundred families. In a recent trip to New York she was shown the method of making original records. After several records were sung by her and commercial success she evolved the scheme of her records placed on sale.

Miss Lydia Mix of Oregon is visiting in Dixon for a few days.

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WOULD CHANGE ELECTION LAWS.

State Senator Kent E. Keller, a democrat, has a bill for the radical revision of the general election laws.

The changes which Senator Keller seek to make include:

"Provision for a blanket primary ballot.

Reduction in the number of the election days from eleven every second year to two.

Combination of township and general state primaries and elections.

Requirements for a greater per cent of signatures on candidates' petitions."

His bill provides but two election days each year including township and city primaries and elections, general state primaries, elections, etc. It accomplishes this by combining the local, township, and general election days and the abolition of the extra township elections each year, extending the terms of township officers in order to make this possible.

Senator Keller believes that by requiring a larger percentage of signatures the "stuffing" of ballots with candidates to split the votes of different parties will be eliminated almost entirely, and incidentally would tend to shorten the ballot.

The blanket primary ballot he says will eliminate the necessity of a voter stating at the polls whether he wants a republican or democratic ballot as the case may be and make it possible for a man to vote for a candidate regardless of the latter's party affiliations and at the same time not cause the voter embarrassment.

DEKALB'S SOIL DOCTOR IS BUSY.

DeKalb county has a soil doctor, paid a salary by the county, and he is doing so much good, valuable work for the farmers of that county that they would not be without him for anything. The DeKalb Chronicle tells of the latest innovation in the soil doctor's office:

DeKalb Chronicle: Another new department is being inaugurated by the ever-busy soil doctor, W. G. Eckhardt, of the county soil improvement society. This is a practical farm labor bureau by which he can connect the farmer who wants a man with the farm hand who wants a job.

Already Mr. Eckhardt has listed about twenty good men whom he can furnish to needy farmers if they are in need of help. This is surely filling a long felt want and adding another item to the debt of gratitude which the farmers of the county owe to Eckhardt.

As with everything else he is thoroughness itself with this and in addition to getting the name of every man he gets a lot of information about him which insures the farmer getting the man as well as good knowledge of the man he is getting.

WHO ELECTED TAFT AND WILSON?

Colonel Roosevelt has finally come to the surface again, after a long, gloomy and mysterious silence, and this time, he is singing another tune. His interviewers now say that he is joining the republican party (the rotten, crooked republican party) and because of his dislike of the Wilson administration he will back the G. O. P. nominee for president in 1916, provided it is not William H. Taft. Well, Taft would not run for president again, not that we do not believe he would make a better president than any ex-president alive, which is of course, mentioning no names. It certainly is a relief to hear from Colonel Teddy again and know that he is all right and that he will help the poor old republican party get back into its own again, and it is refreshing to hear a change of tune. Colonel Roosevelt should not forget, when he is abusing Mr. Taft and Mr. Wilson, that he was the fellow who elected them both. It was his remarkable judgement which was responsible, in both cases, for their election.

FRENCH DISCOVER FINE WEDDING SYSTEM.

Because of the inconvenience caused by the war, the French government has evolved a plan whereby a French soldier may become married to this girl back home by simply signing a paper which is forwarded home. This idea will no doubt work out splendidly and will become the popular way of doing it even after the war is over, because the bridegroom is only in the way during such occasions as weddings and his big, blundering feet are a menace to the train of the wedding gown and the festivities will be just exactly as successful with him out of the way. It is a great scheme and we believe will be welcomed as warmly by the bridegrooms as by the majority of the wedding party. A great age, this. Things weren't so simple when grandma was a girl.

Whatever else you may neglect next week, do not neglect to go to the polls Tuesday and vote in favor of the two road bond issues. The paving of the Lincoln highway and the road to the epileptic colony are two improvements which should go through.

Russia did one thing that will be eagerly welcomed by the rest of the world. She changed the name of that impossible sounding town she captured the other day and she did not put one of those sneeze names of her own on it, either.

A statistician estimates that by the end of July the war will have cost Europe \$16,990,000,000, and that the conflict will then end by the economic exhaustion of the states engaged in it. Let us hope so.

How would you like to be marooned on a submarine and have it sink so deep that the pressure was forcing the sides in on you? That would give a fellow something to think about, wouldn't it?

Just as a timely suggestion—wouldn't it be a good idea for some newspaper correspondent to get a story on Italy's preparedness for war?



DELIVER US!

From all the woe and sorrow that bloody warfare brings, when monarchs start to borrow some grief from other kings, from dreadful scenes of slaughter, and dead men by the cord, from blood that flows like water, deliver us, O Lord! From fear and melancholy that every death list gives, from all the pompous folly in which an army lives, from all the strife stupendous, that brings no sane reward, but only loss tremendous, deliver us, O Lord! From seeing friend and neighbor in tools of death arrayed, deserting useful labor to wield the thirsty blade; from seeing plowshares lying all rusty on the sward, where men and boys are dying, deliver us, O Lord! From seeing legions invade our peaceful shore, and turn these smiling regions to scenes of death and gore, from all the desolation the gods of war accord to every fighting nation, deliver us, O Lord!

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CURRENT COMMENT

Moline Dispatch: W. J. Stewart's suggestion of a five year closed season on quail is a good one. It is the Bob White that is known as the quail in this section of the country. The Bob White is one of the chief game birds hereabout, and he is getting scarce year by year. It behooves men who love hunting to join in this move to forego the shooting of these birds for the next five years in order that there may be some of them to shoot at the end of that time. The legislature should be appealed to in behalf of quail. A closed season might be created for them at Springfield if it is shown that it has nothing to do with the wet and dry contention.

Belleville News-Democrat: The dis appointing showing which the women made at last Tuesday's referendum election, on an important question of public policy, held in Belleville on the question of substituting an efficient and economical form of city government for the discredited and worn-out old ward-boss system, women for self-government, and sustains the arguments which the opponents of the Women Suffrage experiment have been thrusting into our faces. Out of a total voting strength of more than five hundred women in Belleville, only two hundred and seventy-nine of them deemed the question of sufficient importance to justify them in walking to the polling place and casting a vote.

Louisville Courier-Journal Alaska has gold, silver, copper, coal and other minerals of great abundance. With millions of acres of land adapted to agricultural purposes there should be no doubt of its rapid development when railroad facilities are provided. That it will become ultimately a very prosperous country and a valuable feeder for the rest of the United States seems entirely within the bounds of probability.

Atlanta Constitution: Former President Taft spoke to the point at Charlottesville, Va. when he declared that the problem of patronage often robbed the whole people of a president's best energies. A president must often neglect the public business while he wrestles with factions, hears appeals and has his mind diverted by charges and countercharges. In the long run he is apt to offend by his appointment just as likely as he is apt to please. It is an old adage that where there are ten applicants for a position the appointing power made one ingrate and nine enemies. The civil service has lifted a measure of the burden off the president's shoulders, but it is still tremendous. The party or man who can devise a way out of a perennial menace to the efficiency of parties, public service and public servants, will do the country a service.

Galesburg Mail: Illinois experience in combating the present outbreak of foot and mouth disease should teach the state that preparedness against further outbreak of the disease is the most economical and the best way to prevent in future years, a repetition of the great loss that the state is now subjected to.

Greenfield Argus: There seems to be a wide demand for tax reform in Illinois, as there appears to be something radically wrong with the present method of equalizing tax payments. The present laws seem to be constructed so that they offer a big premium on perjury.

Mloomington Pantagraph: To find employment for the unemployed, as remarked by an eastern mayor, is "not a problem of charity but a problem of business." It is no doubt true that many of the unemployed do not want work and would really prefer to live off charity. But there are those who really seek employment and who consider it a humiliation to seek aid. They want to support themselves and they should be

given a chance. They want to support themselves and they should be given a chance. If they can give an equivalent in some useful service there is a double benefit in providing the opportunity.

WIT AND NEAR WIT.

"And do you really love me?"
"Love you? Darling, you're dearer to me than my wheat."

"Ocean steamers are like promissory notes, observed Hawkins; 'you don't begin to work about them until they are three days overdue.'"

"I would I were a bird," she sang.
"I would you were," said her husband. "You would go south for the winter without costing me anything."

Visiting Aunt (on Sunday morning)—Elsie, do you know whose day this is?
Little Niece—Norah's day out, auntie.

She—I might marry if I could find a man I could look up to.
He—Well, there's the man in the moon.

Teacher—Tommy, you may define the difference between "a while" and "a time."
Tommy—Why, when pa says he's going down town for a while, ma says he'll bet he's going for a time.

He "You remind me of a rabid dog. You are always taking sides."
She "You remind me of a Swiss cheese and a bunch of spaghetti. You're so neutral."

"You'd better hide somewhere," said the rooster to the hen; "the boss has an axe in his hand and he's laying for you."

"Well," said Biddy resignedly, "I presume I have no right to complain. I've been laying for him a good many years."

Billy Sunday stopped a newsboy in Philadelphia the other day and inquired the way to the postoffice.

"Up one block and turn to the right," said the boy.

"You seem to be a bright little fellow," said Sunday. "Do you know who I am?"

"Nope!"

"I'm Billy Sunday, and if you come to my meeting tonight I'll show you the way to heaven."

"Aw, go on!" answered the youngster; "you didn't even know the way to the postoffice."

Sunday School Teacher—Now, in what condition was the Patriarch Job at the end of his life?

Small Boy—Please teacher, he was dead.

"Where was Jiggs educated?"
"Why, man, he's a graduate of Sing Sing."

Wife—John, the bill collector's at the door.

Hubby—Tell him to take that pile on my desk.

"What are you standing here for and crying, little boy?"
"Waitin' for the extra. Pa said I mustn't come home without a great victory."

"Three of her husbands are still living."
"That must be embarrassing."
"It is. She says she can't go anywhere nowadays without bumping into one of them."

A London curate asked after a man's health and received this reply:

"Well, sir sometimes I feel anyhow, and sometimes I don't feel no how, and the rest of the time I feels as stiff as a himmege."

"Don't you love to wander out in the country where the little lambskins play?"

"And the graphophones don't. You'd better."

LETTING PROSPERITY PAY.

The bonded debt of the city of New York is \$1,307,020,221. This is about \$300 for every man, woman and child in the great city. It is nearly \$200,000,000 greater than the debt of the United States government. Moreover, New York's debt is almost wholly a creation of the last eighteen years; it has increased nearly a billion dollars since 1897.

How long can even that wealthy city travel such a road without landing in the ditch of bankruptcy?

The situation in New York today is a legitimate result of the doctrine so popular with pay-roll politicians and grafting contractors, the doctrine of "Let posterity pay." When a city has ceased to pay as it goes, when bonds are issued for every paltry improvement of a public nature the inevitable result is what we see in the great metropolis.

Chicago has had some of the same kind of financing. It should be the task of every thoughtful citizen to see that the experiment is stopped at once.—Chicago Journal.

OSTRICHES ARE CHEAP.

Pity the sorrows of the ostrich ranchers of Arizona, who find that their birds have depreciated in value from \$150 to \$5, with practically no market even at that figure. They have tried to utilize the big birds as food, but seem to have failed to develop an appetite for half a spring ostrich on toast, or ostrich hash, or any other form of ostrich cookery, among the regular boarders at the Arizona hotels, or even among the transients who might be willing to sample a little of the white meat by way of curiosity.

In former years there was a demand for ostrich feathers which made the propagation of ostriches a profitable business in California and Arizona, but the great ostrich feather market of the globe is in London and in that metropolis plumes from our own west entered into competition with plumes from Africa, but the demand was sufficiently large to take care of all shipments until the war broke out, and the ostrich feather business collapsed. Many birds have been turned loose in the Arizona wilds, because to keep them and feed them under the circumstances is a losing proposition. As that country is favorable to development of the ostrich large flocks of these great birds are likely to be found in Arizona in days to come.—Pittsburgh Telegraph.

PUBLIC IS INVITED.

The public is invited to witness the match between the rifle teams of Co. G of this city and Co. E of Sterling, which will be held at the armory this evening, and which the local boys will make a determined effort to win.

EXTENDS WATER MAIN.

E. C. Parsons has extended the water main on Morgan street on the north side, west of Squires avenue, to supply several new residences that will be erected there this year.

City In Brief

—I sell Edison Mazda lamps, and all kinds of heating appliances. Phone 771 and I will deliver. Will J. Cahill. 734

Curtis Rice was a visitor in Sterling Sunday afternoon.

Max Lett visited friends in Sterling yesterday.

Miss Caroline Simonson spent Sunday in Sterling visiting friends.

H. U. Bardwell left Sunday evening on a business trip for the International Harvester Co. through Iowa.

Miss Phoebe Mayfield is here from Chicago as a guest of Miss Florence Noble over Easter.

E. H. Webster of this city, who is operator at the tower at Nachusa, resumed work today after a two weeks' lay off.

Miss Emma Rodesch was down on Sunday from DeKalb to visit relatives and friends, returning again this forenoon.

W. W. Trautman and family and Miss Alvina Martin drove to Polo yesterday in the Trautman machine and spent the afternoon at the Clarence Bentley home.

Miss Carrie Rosenthal and niece, Miss Helen Bacharach, went to Chicago this morning for a short visit.

Willard Countryman is spending a few days at Holcomb with his grand parents.

H. M. Wright, formerly of Dixon, was out from Chicago Sunday visiting friends.

Mrs. Lillian Benjamin is ill with tonsillitis.

O. H. Martin was in Chicago today to replenish the dry goods stock at his store.

Robert Anderson went to Polo this morning to put up some new awnings on store fronts.

H. L. Dolahan went to Chicago today on business.

Dr. Ralph Brown was out from Chicago Sunday to visit his parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. H. Brown.

Paul Dixon left this morning on a business trip to Chicago and from there goes to St. Louis.

T. W. Fuller went to Chicago this morning after a Sunday visit with his family.

Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Ford and John Ford motored to Mendota Saturday to spend the day.

Ira Lough spent Sunday in Rochelle.

W. J. Kennedy continues to show marked improvement and it is believed he will be able to return to his business within a short time.

D. H. Law is out from Chicago for a few days' visit with friends and relatives.

Harry Real of Sterling spent last evening in this city.

Vera Seymour of Tampico was a Dixon caller last evening.

Frank Hammer was here from Polo Saturday.

Mrs. Wilbur Citt and daughter of Beloit are here visiting at the George Citt home on East Seventh street.

Mrs. Francis Blake of Chicago is a guest of her sister-in-law, Mrs. W. W. Gilbert, of Seventh street.

Charles Wooster Jr. and sister, Irene of Amboy visited in Dixon today.

Wm. O'Malia was down from Freeport this morning to attend the funeral of the late Thomas Reilly.

Miss Alice Byers is spending her vacation at the home of Dr. and Mrs. Snively of Sterling.

P. J. Linerger of Freeport, superintendent of the state game farms, was a business visitor in Dixon today.

Mrs. Sarah Stambrough has returned from several weeks' visit in Chicago.

Frederick Rosbrook returned to Peoria after a visit with Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Rosbrook.

WILSON ON ARGENTINE SHIP

President is Guest of Ambassador Naon on Dreadnaught.

Washington, March 29.—With President Wilson and Secretary of the Navy Daniels aboard, the Mayflower sailed from Washington at 10 o'clock for Annapolis, which she reached this morning. The president and secretary are the guests of honor at a luncheon on the Argentine dreadnaught Moreno, laying off Annapolis, at which Ambassador Naon of Argentina is the host.

The party will leave for Washington tonight, returning on the Mayflower. Besides Mr. Daniels, the president is accompanied by Dr. Cary Greyson, his physician.

Body of Ninth Victim Found. Muncie, Ind., March 29.—The body of one more, the ninth, victim of the fire that destroyed the county infirmary last Tuesday has been taken from the ruins.

Poincare Goes to Front. Paris, March 29.—At the conclusion of the cabinet meeting President Poincare left Paris for the front.

Wooltex Tailored Suits

FOR Distinguished Easter Service

THE more important the occasion the more vital it is to avail yourself of the superior elegance of the Wooltex garments. The woman of unlimited means who goes to her custom tailor for her Easter Suit seldom has any interest in the latest whim of fashion but the features that command her largest interest are exactly the qualities which distinguish Wooltex suits from the usual ready-to-wear garment.

Here are refinement of style, elegance of materials, thorough and careful workmanship, graceful and becoming lines, with a permanency that is secured by careful hand-tailoring at all the vital points.

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OLD FORT MAY BE REBUILT ON CANAL

**AUTHORITIES CONSIDER PLAN
TO REHABILITATE SAN LOR-
RENZO FOR DEFENSE.**

WAS BUILT BY SPAIN IN 1597

Commands the Entrance to the Gatun Lock, Dam and the Spillway.

Panama, March 15.—(Correspondence of the Associated Press.)—Fort San Lorenzo, an ancient fortress which stands on a high bluff at the entrance to the harbor, at the mouth of the Chagres river, probably will again play a part in the defense of the isthmus. Canal authorities are trying to obtain from Panama the right to re-establish the old fortress, rebuilding it and placing therein a number of modern and high powered coast defense guns.

The site of the ancient fortress is important because it stands at the entrance of a deep waterway from the Caribbean sea to the Gatun locks, dam and spillway. It is declared that the Chagres river is easily navigable for small torpedo boats and submarines. The only obstacle is a bar at the mouth of the river, however this may be passed at high tide.

The Castle of San Lorenzo was built by order of Phillip II, of Spain in 1597, and for many years was John Morgan and his buccaneers, however, almost destroyed the fortress and the English under Admiral Vernon captured it in 1740 and blew the fort skyward. Since then it has been an historic ruin.

The American government has long regarded the mouth of the Chagres river, as an important point in the coast defenses of the Panama canal, especially in view of the accessibility of the locks, dam and the spillway at Gatun through the stream. The nearest fortifications of any strength and importance are now at Toro Point near Colon which is about 8 miles east of San Lorenzo.

IN MEMORIAN

MARGUERITA McGRATH.

Oh, darling of her parents' life,
Bright bud of promise given
To open in gardens far more bright
Within the bowers of Heaven.

We know she is not lost to us,
In dreams, we see her face
Transfigured cross the shining sea
With smiles of Matchless grace

The cruel arrow has pierced our hearts,
But messengers of peace
Have come unto us to blot our mourning
cease.

In that dear home of endless love
Our dear friend we shall meet,
With lives entwined henceforth
With blessedness complete.

—Little Friends and Playmates.

EXTRA Y. M. C. A. NUMBER

The extra number to be given in the Y. M. C. A. course of entertainments in place of the numbers which did not make good will be held one week from tomorrow, Tuesday, April 6 at the Family theatre, the offering being the Chicago Entertainers in musical and dramatic sketches. There are two ladies in the organization, and they are highly praised in all the cities where they have appeared. They give a varied program of songs, impersonations and sketches.

COMPTON WOMAN PASSES AWAY

Mrs. H. Wolford, an aged resident of Compton, passed away at her home there at midnight Saturday at the age of 73 years. The funeral will be held Tuesday afternoon at two o'clock at the Brethren church in Compton. Mrs. Wolford is survived by her husband and two children, J. Wolford and Mrs. George Holdren.

500,000 RAIL TRESPASSERS

KILLED IN LAST TEN YEARS

Washington, March 29.—Railroad representatives, contending that the majority of the fatalities occurring on their lines are due to trespassing, and not to railroad accidents, are appealing to various state legislatures for more drastic laws against trespassing and for a more rigid enforcement of the laws already on the statute books. The railroads have found that in the last ten years more than 50,000 persons have been killed while trespassing on the right of way and the same number maimed or crippled for life.

MOVES TO FULTON.

L. C. Taylor moved Prof. H. V. Baldwin's household goods to Fulton Saturday in his auto truck.

MOTORCYCLE RIDERS DESERVE BIG HONORS

LETTER FROM FRONT SAYS DISPATCH BEARERS SHOW GREAT STRAIN.

WOULD GIVE VICTORIA CROSS

Writer Describes the Tension Under Which They Ride Day and Night.

London, March 15.—(Correspondence of the Associated Press.)—"Almost the only faces with the army on which the strain of their experience is visibly written are those of the motorcyclist dispatch riders," says a letter from the front, the writer adding "I should give them all the Victoria Cross."

To ride for months at a high rate of speed over cobble pavements of an extreme unevenness is of itself a physical strain, but this is increased many times by the responsibilities and dangers which are the daily lot of the dispatch rider.

"With dry roads and only the ordinary peace time traffic to dispute the right of way occasionally, the motorcyclist can take an ordinary pace with no great strain. But it is quite different when the cobbles are greased by the oil and slime of months of traffic and weeks of rain and fog; when a ten or twelve inch drop into only mud waits on either side of the narrow roadway; when every road is crowded with great motor trucks which claim the road and take it willingly; when orders are—they always are, apparently—to travel not at a leisurely go-as-you-please, but at the top speed of which the battered machine is capable.

"Add to these little difficulties a blinding rain, a pitch black night, no lights, a few shell-swept stretches of road, snipers, sentries, obstacles, the shell holes and other disturbing matters, and there is the picture of the ordinary life of the dispatch bearer. Side slips and collisions, broken forks and headers into shell holes, are all in the day's work. But what the dispatch rider really objects to, is being shot at by his own sentries. This is by no means exceptional, for the sentry's challenge is quite likely to be drowned by the noise of the engine.

"In the early days," one rider says, "the wandering Uhlan was a terror, not because of his soldierly qualities but because you were always liable to find yourself charging at some cross roads in the darkness, into his horse's body. I knocked over several like that, and I never knew how they intended to take it. I think they must have generally lost their horse and gun in the dark, for only one of them ever fired a shot, and he did not fire at me."

MET AT BRUNSWICK ALLEYS.

This evening a contest will be played in the City league at the Brunswick alleys between the Poole and Fritz teams. As a result of these contests will depend on who will occupy second place in the percentage column.

IS ILL.

Miss Anna Marie Worthington is very sick at her home on Peoria avenue, requiring the services of a trained nurse.

LESSON IN COAST DEFENSE.

The principal forts on the European side of the narrows of the Dardanelles, which were considered the strongest in the line, were silenced and demolished Saturday by the fire of the British battleships. They mounted 14-inch guns, but the three battleships carried eight 15 inch guns, and the much talked of advantage of a land emplacement over the turret of a battleship did not show in overcoming the odds of gun powder, so that the British ships stood off, out of harm's way, and poured their fire into the fortifications.

The most powerful batteries in the defense of any American sea coast city are of 14 inch calibre, whose effective range it is proposed to increase by some change in the mounting and the use of a lighter projectile. The Queen Elizabeth and the Prince George are not expected as hostile visitors off New York, but it is folly to disregard the fact that if in the course of events, they should come in such guise they could lie beyond the reach of any gun on the coast and shell the fortifications as they did Fort L on the Dardanelles.—Philadelphia Bulletin.

CARD OF THANKS.

We desire to thank our friends and neighbors, also Rev. Day of the Christian church, those who sang and Morris & Preston for their kindness to us during our recent bereavement. Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Burrows & Family.

EITEL'S POSITION SEEMS HOPELESS

U. S. Naval Officials Think Ship Will Interne.

IS WATCHED FROM ALL SIDES

Battle Ship Alabama Starts for Hampton Roads to See That Vessel Conforms to Requirements and Also Is Protected to Limit of U. S. Jurisdiction.

Washington, March 29.—It was announced at the navy department tonight that Rear Admiral James Helm, commanding the Atlantic reserve fleet at Philadelphia, will be on board the battle ship Alabama when she takes up her patrol duty in Hampton Roads in connection with the imminent departure of the Prinz Eitel Frederick.

The Alabama left the Philadelphia navy yard early this morning for Hampton Roads. She is commanded by Capt. T. A. Lyons. Her instructions are to prevent any violation of the neutrality of the United States government in connection with the Eitel. While officials are of the opinion that the German cruiser will eventually interne rather than face British cruisers waiting for her outside the Virginia capes, every precaution is being taken as if it were a certainty that the German vessel will venture out.

Departure Conditional.

This departure will be conditional, however, on whether a merchantmen of any nationality has left Newport News within the previous twenty-four hours. If a British or a French ship has gone out a few hours previously, the German cruiser must wait until twenty-four hours have elapsed before going to sea in her wake. United States authorities at Newport News will decide when these circumstances make it proper for the Eitel to depart and the Alabama will be used to prevent the German vessel from proceeding out to sea before permission has been given her by this government. In view of the large number of British ships clearing from Newport News and Norfolk it is thought probable the Eitel Frederick may be delayed some time when she announces a desire to go to sea.

Aviators Again Bombard.

Paris, March 29.—The afternoon war office statement says: "Belgium aviators have bombarded the German aviation camp at Ghis-telles (in West Flanders) seventy-five miles southwest of Bruges. To the east of the Heights of the Muse, near Marcheville, we captured 100 yards of the enemy's trenches and repulsed two counter attacks. At Les Pargues we continued our progress of the previous day."

Berlin Tells of Foes' Repulses.

Berlin, March 29.—The official statement by the German army headquarters says: "To the southeast of Verdun French attacks on the Meuse heights near Combres, and in the Woivre plains near Marcheville, were decided after stubborn fighting in favor of the Germans. On Hartsmansweilerkopf in the Vosges only artillery duels took place yesterday. Russian charges in the Augustowo forest (near the East Prussian frontier) were repulsed. Between the Pissa and Omulew rivers several Russian attacks were made, but they all broke down under the German fire. Near Waack the Germans captured 900 Russians."

INJURED HUBBY IS PROVIDENT

He Forces Wife's Millionaire Sweet-heart to Fix Annuity for Her.

Pittsburgh, Pa., March 29.—Professor Kintner, inventor and savant, formerly of New Albany, Ind., has brought suit against his wife, Elizabeth Blanchard Kintner, for divorce. Mrs. Kintner's former home was in Shelbyville, Ind., and she and Kintner began their romance at Purdue university, while both were students there. The couple until of late was considered ideally mated. Kintner names George Mesta, millionaire clubman and manufacturer of this city, as co-respondent.

Kintner, it is alleged, forced Mesta to meet him the next day at the office of Attorney George Reynolds, where Mesta is said to have deposited bonds and securities, which guarantee Mrs. Kintner an income of \$5,000 a year for the rest of her life.

Gets Job Refused by Sayre.

Madison, Wis., March 29.—H. J. Thordelson was appointed business manager of the University of Wisconsin. The position, which pays \$5,000 a year, was refused by Francis B. Sayre, son-in-law of President Wilson. Mr. Thordelson is professor of steam engineering at the university.

Says Allies Were Repelled.

London, March 29.—The following Constantinople dispatch was received here by wireless from Berlin: "Enemy torpedo boats and sweepers attempted to penetrate into the Dardanelles on March 26, but were repelled by our batteries."

If you are married do not sigh,
Just take life as you find it;
The longer you are married, why,
The less you seem to mind it.
Very ill, indeed.

VILLA LOSES IS CARRANZA CLAIM

Washington Agency Says Rebels Repulsed at Matamoras.

SEVERE FIGHTING IS SHOWN

Red Cross Nurses in Northern States Ordered to Proceed at Once to Brownsville, Tex., Near Fighting—U. S. Issues No New Orders Regarding Firing Across Border.

Washington, March 29.—Reports received at the state department and at the Carranza agency here are that the Villa forces were defeated in at least the early stages of the battle for possession of Matamoras which began late Saturday.

The Carranza agency's dispatch stated that the Villistas lost 900 men in their attacks on the trenches of the Carranza troops defending the city. The Villistas were mowed down by machine guns in three charges it is said. A large number of the Villa troops are said to have abandoned their camp after this fighting while their wounded fled to the American side. The Carranza forces suffered only very slight losses, it is claimed, not having been required to move from the protection of the trenches.

Severe Fighting Shown.

That there has been some severe fighting outside Matamoras was shown by reports received at Red Cross headquarters. Four hundred wounded Mexicans have been already brought across the international into Brownsville, Tex., and are being cared for there.

S. P. Morris, acting national director of the Red Cross, ordered four Red Cross nurses in northern states to proceed at once to Brownsville and he will go there himself if conditions seem to make it necessary that he should do so. Two hospitals in Brownsville have been already taken over by the Red Cross representatives at the scene and an ambulance service has been instituted on the American border.

The latest reports received give no sign of any end to the fighting outside Matamoras. In fact, everything points to the battle being more prolonged and fierce than is usual in the Mexican struggle.

No New U. S. Orders.

The war department has not issued any new orders in regard to securing the protection of life and property on the American side. It is held that nothing has yet arisen in the situation at Brownsville which is not fully covered in orders which the United States forces on the border have had for more than a year. Warnings have been sent as usual to opposing commanders across the river to respect life and property on the American side of the line and not to permit bullets to fall on the United States soil. No official report has been received yet in confirmation of unofficial dispatches stating two Americans had been slightly injured by Mexican bullets falling in Brownsville.

ANOTHER SHIP BELIEVED HIT

British West African Steamer in Distress—Passengers Taken Off.

London, March 28.—Word has been received here that the West African mail steamer Salaba, which left Liverpool Saturday evening, is in distress off the mouth of Bristol channel. The passengers and the crew have taken to the boats.

It is believed the Salaba has been attacked by a German submarine.

Paderewski Stirs Sympathy for Poles.

London, March 29.—The visit to London of Ignace Paderewski on behalf of the suffering Poles, has already resulted in the formation of a great relief committee. Among the members of the committee are such men as Premier Asquith, ex-Premier Balfour, Chancellor of the Exchequer Lloyd George, Lady Randolph Churchill, and the Russian and French ambassadors.

Teehee! He Counts the Cash.

Washington, March 29.—Houston C. Teehee, five-eighths Cherokee Indian of the restricted type succeeds Gabe Parker, another Indian, as register of the treasury in Washington. Teehee's name will appear on each piece of paper money issued by the treasury.

Prominent Ohio Democrat Dies.

Dayton, O., March 29.—Edward W. Henley, chairman of the Ohio Democratic state central committee, who was defeated for the United States senate by Atlee Pomerene in 1911, is dead at Dayton of Bright's disease, aged sixty-two.

Seven Men Drift Thirty Hours.

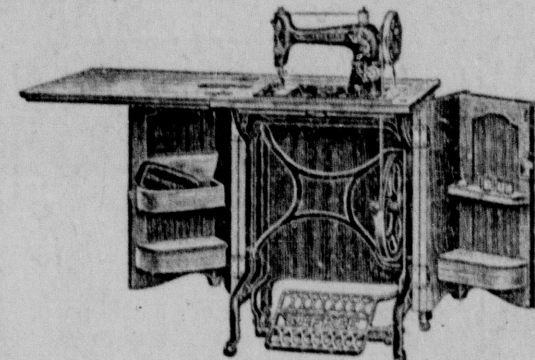
Sheboygan, Wis., March 29.—The fishing tug Sunbeam was rescued with seven persons aboard by the tug Harvey after she had drifted for thirty hours on Lake Michigan following the breaking of a crank shaft while lifting nets Saturday morning.

LOST—Between Nettz' garage and Gap Grove, door, reflector and bulb from Ford auto lamp. Return to this office or 'phone 1803 and will call for it.

SATURDAY WAS A BANNER DAY IN DIXON In The SEWING MACHINE Game

THE FREE MACHINE that we promised to give away was awarded to Mrs. Wallace Seybert. She having the thirteenth number from the churn.

Mr. Sackett having in charge the Demonstration stated the plain unvarnished facts in reference to this The Best Sewing Machine Made, and issued an open Challenge to any Competitor to disprove any of the statements he made.



He or another Competent Salesman will be here for a few days to fill the many orders now on file, and to explain and Demonstrate to any others who are interested, why it is a duty they owe to themselves to take nothing but a Free Sewing Machine.

ON MAY 29TH

NINE WEEKS FROM SATURDAY, another one of these Same Free Sewing Machines will be given away, and I want to urge you not to wait to draw this one, but make your purchase now and get (25) Extra coupons on the next drawing, and if you should be the successful one at that time your money will be refunded.

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GENERAL MUNICIPAL ELECTION NOTICE.

Public notice is hereby given that the General Municipal Election for the election of City Officers for the City of Dixon, in the County of Lee and State of Illinois, under the General Municipal Laws now in force in said City of Dixon will be held in said City on the

20th Day of April, A. D. 1915.

The same being the Third Tuesday of said month, in the hereinafter designated places for the election of one (1) Mayor and four (4) Commissioners to be voted upon at the General Election on the Third Tuesday of April, A. D. 1915. Also for the submission of the proposition to the electors of said city, "SHALL THIS CITY BECOME ANTI-SALOON TERRITORY?" to be voted upon by said electors at said election.

AND ALSO for the submission of the following proposition: "FOR THE ADOPTION OF THE PROVISIONS OF AN ACT TO REGULATE WORKING HOURS OF EMPLOYEES IN THE FIRE DEPARTMENT," to be voted upon by the electors of said City at said election.

NOTICE is further given that said General Municipal Election will be held in the several polling places of the city in the places hereinafter designated by the Council of said City as follows, to-wit:

First Ward Polling Place — Angier Wilson's Garage, 123 First St.

Second Ward Polling Place — City Hall—Second Street.

Third Ward Polling Place — Youngman's Coal Office, 629 Depot Ave.

Fourth Ward Polling Place — Finkler's Restaurant, College Ave.

Fifth Ward Polling Place — Anderson's Shop, East Felows St.

The polls of said election shall be opened at 7 o'clock in the morning and shall close at 5 o'clock in the evening.

Dated at Dixon, Illinois, this 29th day of March, A. D. 1915.

BLAKE GROVER,
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ALLIES WILL HONOR! BELGIAN HERO KING

BIRTHDAY OF KING ALBERT TO BE CELEBRATED IN MANY LANDS.

London, March 15.—Correspondence of the Associated Press — England and France will celebrate April 8 as "King Albert Day." King Albert born in 1875, will on that day complete his 40th year.

"It is not the custom of the British people," comments the Telegraph, "to celebrate the birthdays of the Continental sovereigns, even though they be the faithful and loyal allies of King George, but the case of King Albert is different. "If Car'le had been living at this hour, what a theme the old hero worshipper would have found in King Albert. Tried by his standards the figure that stands out brightest of all this war is that of King Albert."

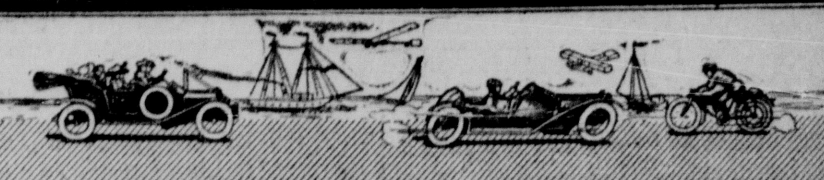
PREPARE FOR PASTOR.

The rectory of St. Luke's Episcopal church is being remodelled and redecorated for the removal to this city of the new rector, Rev. Frederick C. Grant, who will come from DeKalb shortly after Easter.

REW. BRADSHAW TO OHIO.

Rev. and Mrs. E. O. Bradshaw left this morning for Hamilton, O., where Rev. Bradshaw will conduct services this week. He will also remain in Hamilton to conduct the Easter services, and because of his absence E. T. Bailey will occupy the pulpit at the local Baptist church next Sunday. Mrs. Bradshaw will spend the week at Ironton, her old home. Rev. Bradshaw 'phoned the Telegraph before he left and requested the Telegraph mailed to his Ohio address, so they will be informed as to Dixon happenings while they are gone.

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Creator of the "Craig Kennedy" Stories

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She answered my ring and admitted us. To our surprise, the seance room was empty.

"Where is the young lady who was here?" I asked.

"Miss Dodge and the gentleman just left a few minutes ago," the medium explained, as we looked about.

I happened to notice a torn handkerchief lying on the floor. It flashed over me that perhaps it might afford a clue.

As I passed it, I purposely dropped my soft hat over it and picked up the hat, securing the handkerchief without attracting Savetsky's attention.

Aunt Josephine was keen now for returning home to find out whether Elaine was there or not. No sooner had she entered the car and driven off, than I examined the handkerchief. It was torn, as if it had been crushed in the hand during a struggle and wrenched away. I looked closer. In the corner was the initial "E."

That was enough. Without losing another precious moment I hurried around to the nearest police station.

The sergeant detailed several roundsmen and a man in plain clothes, and together we returned to the house, laying a careful plan to surround it secretly, while the plainclothes man and I obtained admittance.

Meanwhile, the Chinese devil worshippers had again gathered in their cursed temple and Long Sin, in his priestly robe, appeared on the dais.

The worshippers kotowed reverently to him, while at the back again stood the aged Chinaman patiently turning his prayer wheel.

Two braziers, or smoke pots, had been placed on the dais, one of which Long Sin touched with a stick, causing it to burst out into dense fumes.

Standing before them, he chanted in nasal tones: "The white consort of the great Ksing Chau has been found. It is his will that she now be made his."

As he finished intoning the message, Long Sin signaled to two young Chinamen to go into the anteroom. A moment later they returned with Elaine.

Frightened though she was, Elaine made no attempt to struggle, even when they had cut her bonds.

They carried her up to the dais, and now Long Sin faced her and sternly ordered her to kotow to the gruesome metallic figure.

She refused, but instantly the Chinamen seized her arm and twisted it, until they had compelled her to fall to her knees.

Having forced her to kotow, Long Sin turned to the assembled devil dancers.

"With magic and rare drugs," he chanted, "she shall be made to pass

she must have caught sight of one or two of the policemen who had incautiously exposed themselves from the hiding place in which I had disposed them before we entered. At any rate, Savetsky did not lose a jot of her remarkable composure.

"I'm sorry," she remarked merely, "but I'm afraid my control is weak and cannot work today."

She took a step toward the door, motioning us to leave. Neither of us paid any attention to the hint, but remained seated as we had been before.

Almost before I knew what she was doing, she made a dash for something in the corner of the room. It was time for open action, and I seized her quickly.

My detective was on his feet in an instant.

"I'll take care of her," he ground out, seized her wrists in his viselike grasp. "You give the signal."

I rushed to the window, threw up the shade and opened the sash, waving our preconceived sign and turned again toward the room.

With a sudden accession of desperate strength, Savetsky broke away from the plainclothes man and again attempted to get at something concealed on the wall. I had turned just in time to fling myself between her and whatever object she had in mind.

As the detective took her again and twisted her arm until she cried out in pain, I hastily investigated the wall. She had evidently been attempting to press a button that rang a concealed bell.

What did it mean?

Elaine, now completely unconscious, was being held by the Chinamen, while her arm was smeared with sticky, black material from the cauldron of Long Sin.

Suddenly the aged Chinaman with the prayer wheel stopped his incessant, impious turning, and, rising, held up his hand as if to command attention.

"This is nonsense," he cried in a loud voice. "Why should our great Ksing Chau desire a white devil? I, a great-grandfather, demand to know."

Shaking with rage, Long Sin ordered the intruder off the dais. But the aged devotee refused to go.

"Throw him out," he ordered his attendants.

For answer, as the two young Chinamen approached, the old Chinaman threw them down to the floor with a quick flitting movement.

Furious now beyond expression, Long Sin stepped forward. He seized the beard and queue of the intruder. To his utter amazement they came off!



Elaine is Forced to Kotow to the Gruesome Metallic Figure.

beyond and her body encased in precious gold shall be the consort of Ksing Chau—forever and ever."

With callous devilry, the oriental satanists made every arrangement for embalming and preserving the body of Elaine.

At last all seemed to be in readiness to proceed.

"Hold her," ordered Long Sin in guttural Chinese, to the two attendants, as he approached her.

Long Sin held in his hand a small, profusely decorated pot from which smoke was escaping. As he approached he passed this receptacle under her nose once, twice, three times.

Gradually Elaine fell into unconsciousness.

While Elaine was facing death in the power of the devil worshippers, I had reached the house of Savetsky next door with the police, and the place had been quietly surrounded.

With the plainclothes man, a daring and intelligent fellow, I went to the door and rang the bell.

"What can I do for you?" asked the medium, admitting us.

"My friend here," I parleyed, "is in great business trouble. Can your controlling spirit give him advice?"

It was Kennedy.

With his automatic drawn, before the astonished devil dancers could recover themselves, Craig stood at bay.

Long Sin leaped behind the big gong. As the Chinamen rushed forward to seize him, Kennedy shot the leader of Long Sin's attendants and struck down the other with a blow.

Kennedy seized Elaine's yielding body, and, pushing back the curtain to the anteroom, succeeded in gaining it and locking the door into the main temple.

Bennett was still lying on the floor tightly bound. With a few deft cuts with a Chinese knife which he had picked up, Kennedy released him.

At the same time Chinamen were trying to batter down the door, Kennedy's last bulwark. It was swaying under their repeated blows.

While Kennedy was thus besieged by the devil worshippers in the anteroom, several policemen and detectives gathered in the seance room with us, next door, where Savetsky was held a defiant and mute prisoner.

I had discovered the bell and, taking that as a guide, I started to trace the course of a wire which ran alongside

the wall.

To the fireplace I traced the bell and, in pulling on the wire, I luckily pressed a secret spring. To my amazement the whole fireplace swung out of sight and disclosed a secret passageway.

I looked through it.

It was almost at that precise instant that the door of the anteroom burst open and the Chinamen swarmed in, urged on by the insane exhortations of Long Sin.

To my utter amazement, I recognized Kennedy's voice.

In the first onslaught Craig shot one Chinaman dead, then closed with the others, slashing right and left with the Chinese knife he had picked up.

Bennett came to his aid, but was immediately overcome by two Chinamen, who evidently had been detailed for that purpose.

Meanwhile Kennedy and the others were engaged in a terrible life and death struggle.

Finally, Long Sin, seizing a large wall hanging, leaped upon Kennedy from the back and threw it over his head, almost suffocating him.

It was just as the Chinese was about to overpower him that I led the police and detectives through the passageway of the fireplace.

It was a glorious fight that followed. But Long Sin and his Chinamen were no match for the police and were soon completely routed, the police striking furiously in all directions and clearing the room.

Instantly Kennedy thought of the fair object of all this melee. He rushed to the divan on which he had placed Elaine.

As she opened her eyes for an instant she gazed at Craig, then at Bennett. Still not comprehending just what had happened, she gave her hand to Bennett. Bennett lifted her to her feet and slowly assisted her as she tried to walk away.

Kennedy watched them, more stupefied than if he had been struck over the head by Long Sin.

Police and detectives were now taking the captured Chinamen away, as Bennett, his arm about Elaine, led her gently out.

A young detective had slipped the bracelets over Long Sin's wrist, and I was standing beside him.

Kennedy, in a daze at the sight of Elaine and Bennett, passed us, scarcely noting who we were.

As Craig collected his scattered forces Long Sin motioned to him, as if he had a message to deliver.

Kennedy frowned suspiciously. He was about to turn away when the Chinaman began pleading earnestly for a chance to say a few words.

"Step aside for a moment, you fellows, won't you, please?" he asked. "I will hear what you have to say, Long Sin."

Long Sin looked about craftily. "What is it?" prompted Craig, seeing that at last they were all alone.

Long Sin again looked around. "Swear that I will go free and not suffer," he whispered, "and I will betray the great Clutching Hand."

Kennedy studied the Chinaman keenly for a moment. Then, seemingly satisfied with the scrutiny, he nodded slowly assent.

As Craig did so, I saw Long Sin lean over and whisper into Kennedy's ear. Craig started back in horror and surprise.

(TO BE CONTINUED.)

AMBOY NEWS ITEMS

Amboy, March 27.—The board of local improvements has prepared the plans for sewer extensions and having some of the street paved which are in bad condition. Plant street will have a brick pavement, 26 feet wide, with asphalt binder and concrete curb and gutter, from Main street to Bacon street. Jones street sewer extension from Bacon street north to Wasson street. Main street sewer extension from Locust to a point 30 feet west of the east limits of the city. Public hearing on the paving propositions will be Monday, April 5th at 3 p. m. Public hearing on the sewer extension takes place Thursday April 1 at 2 p. m.

J. P. Johnson sent a young alligator by express from Hot Springs, Ark., where he spent a few weeks. It was on exhibition in Colson's clothing store several days. It measured 25 inches in length.

Miss Marie Flanagan of Freeport is the guest of Miss Rose Hammond for the week end.

Mrs. David Weigle and Mrs. Elliott

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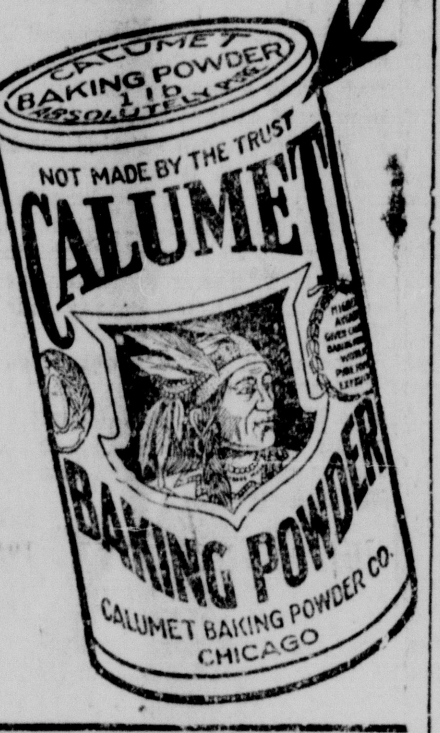
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RECEIVED HIGHEST AWARDS
World Pure Food Exposition, Chicago, Ill.
Paris Exposition, France, March, 1912



were Dixon visitors Friday.

Among those who attended the funeral of Mrs. Entorff were Mrs. J. Stuart and daughter, Philip Strate, Miss Carrie Strate, Dr. Fair, Mrs. George Lubbers, Mrs. John Vaupel, Mr. and Mrs. F. C. Meiers, Mrs. Sam Meiers, John Barth, Miss Emmert Barth, Mr. and Mrs. George Edams, George Becker, Mrs. George Foss, Samuel Schrader all of Freeport; Frank Liddle, Chicago; Dr. Wilbur Hammond, Rockford; Mrs. Lloyd Painter, Streator; Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Polker, Lena; William Strate, Garner, Iowa; Mrs. Ferdinand Cornil, Bloomington; William Gibbons, Mendota; Mrs. A. Huelster, Oak Park.

Miss Carrie Sykes and Harry Daniels of Amboy were married at the home of the bride in Kirkville, Mo., March 14.

The funeral of Mrs. Charlotte Sawyer, who died at the home of her daughter, in Marion, Iowa, March 24 was held at the Woodside cemetery, services at the grave, at 2:30 Friday afternoon. The deceased was the mother of the late W. H. Sawyer of this city.

Miss Helen Whistler is assisting her sister, Margaret, in their millinery store, Miss Helen has been caring for her mother, during the past winter at their home in Leon, Iowa.

Mr. and Mrs. John Daehler were in Sublette Wednesday attending the funeral of a son of Mr. and Mrs. Warren Heatherington.

Rev. Boyer will supply the Baptist pulpit next Sunday. His home is in Pittsburg, Pa.

Mrs. Walter Scott was a Freeport visitor Wednesday.

L. L. Staup of Maywood spent a few days last week at the home of his mother on Blackstone street.

The Congregational ladies will serve supper from 5 to 7, March 31.

Miss Gertrude Weigle entertained about eleven little friends at her home on Metcalf street, Saturday afternoon.

Mrs. W. L. Berryman spent Tuesday in Freeport, her sister Miss Tillie McFadden and daughter being the guests at her home on Plant street.

Raymond Kastler accompanied his grandmother, Mrs. Sophia Bohy to Eagle Grove, Iowa, last Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Zahn went to New York last week. Mr. Zahn is agent for the C. B. & Q. railroad in this city.

Mrs. Elizabeth Hamilton has leased the Keefer hotel and will conduct a first class rooming house. Mr. and Mrs. Frank Keefer, who conducted the hotel for so many years, will move into their beautiful new residence at the corner of Metcalf and Provost streets, April 1.

P. W. Mason and family spent Sunday in Sterling at the home of his brother.

Ira Platt, a former Amboy resident was buried at Prairie Repose cemetery last Wednesday.

Misses Alice Gridley and Lizzie Johnson were in Chicago Tuesday.

Mrs. W. J. Kehoe was visiting her brother in Dayton, Ill., last week.

Fred Dickey, engineer on the I. C. Railroad is ill, the past few days.

SUBSTANCE IS FOUND TO HEAL WAR WOUNDS

Sir W. Watson Cheyne's Carbolic Acid Paste Kills Germs.

New York, March 29.—The ragged and dirt ingrained wounds of war have made necessary the discovery of some thing better than ordinary antiseptics. A substance had to be found that would follow the germs to every nook and corner and kill them before they had a chance to multiply. Such a substance seems to have been found by Sir Watson Cheyne and associated physicians. The Medical Record reviews the matter editorially.

"Ordinary syringing of the wound is not sufficient to disinfect it," says the Medical Record. "The antiseptic must be introduced into the wound and left there to diffuse into the tissues. Watson Cheyne and his associates devised a method of estimating the diffusibility of antiseptics in blood clot and their action on the bacteria contained in it. There were several surprising results.

"The favorable result was reached with a 20 per cent paste of carbolic acid. This diffused rapidly into the nutrient medium and checked the growth of bacteria before they had formed colonies visible under the low power of the microscope."

The method has produced happy results in the few instances so far in which it has been tried on human beings.

TO BARE SENSATIONAL PLOT

U. S. Attorney Marshall Says Suit Against Osborne is Frameup.

New York, March 29.—Unless something unforeseen and totally unexpected develops United States Attorney Marshall believes that by night fall there will be no more mystery as to the causes of circumstances of Rae Tanzer's suit against James Osborne for \$50,000 for breach of promise. An appointment has been made for one of the figures in the case—and there can be no harm in revealing at this time that it is a girl—to visit Mr. Marshall during the day and lay bare what Mr. Marshall says is a "scheme to defraud" Mr. Osborne; to tell all the circumstances regarding the inception of that scheme, and tell the names and parts of others who are concerned in it.

This confession is confidently explained by Mr. Marshall and his assistants and if the narration follows the outline made of it on Saturday by the girl's agent who visited Mr. Marshall several persons of hitherto reputable standing will find themselves enmeshed in the criminal laws.

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Read what these three women say:

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BUFFALO, N. Y.—"I am writing to let you know how much your medicine has done for me. I failed terribly during the last winter and summer and every one remarked about my appearance. I suffered from a female trouble and always had pains in my back, no appetite and at times was very weak."

"I was visiting at a friend's house one day and she thought I needed Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. I took it and have gained eight pounds, have a good appetite and am feeling better every day. Everybody is asking me what I am doing and I recommend Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound. You may publish this letter if you wish and I hope others who have the same complaint will see it and get health from your medicine as I did."—Mrs. A. HORNUNG, 91 Stanton St., Buffalo, N. Y.

Made Me Well and Strong.

MACEDON, N. Y.—"I was all run down and very thin in flesh, nervous, no appetite, could not sleep and was weak, and felt badly all the time. The doctors said I had poor blood and what I had was turning to water. I took different medicines which did not help me, but Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound made me well and strong, and I am recommending it to my friends."—Mrs. Fred CHACE, R. No. 2, Macedon, N. Y.

The Change of Life.

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Mr. Brown has just had a telephone put in connecting his office and house and was very much pleased with it.

"I tell you, the telephone is a wonderful thing. I want you to dine with me this evening, and I will notify Mrs. Brown to expect you."

Speaking through the telephone: "My friend Smith will dine with us this evening." Then to his friend: "Now listen and hear how plain her reply comes back."

Mrs. Brown's reply came back with startling distinctness.

"Ask your friend Smith if he

thinks we keep a hotel."

A COLLEGE FABLE.

"Is it true," demanded the woman's dean sternly, "that you were found smoking cigars?"

"Yes," said the girl.

"What explanation have you for your un ladylike conduct?"

"I didn't know it would be found out," said the girl.

The dean's brow relaxed. "I couldn't give a better reason myself! You are excused."

David H. Law was out from Chicago over Sunday visiting friends.



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WANTED. Woodwork of all kinds, furniture repairing, remodeling and building new furniture, interior woodwork, stair building, pattern making, lawn mower and tool sharpening and saw filing, screen doors and windows built to any size, at 213 East First street. O. Selgestad & Son, 2 doors east of Hotel Bishop. Phone 727.

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WANTED. Everyone in Dixon to bring their shoes to me for repairing. Once a customer, always a customer. Workmanship and material the best. Full line foot easers, polish, shoe strings and soles. H. Beckingham, 108 Hennepin Ave. 161f

WANTED—Work by the day, sweeping and cleaning. Call Mrs. Mary Schmidt, 524 East Third street. 271f

WANTED—Work hauling ashes, cleaning cesspools and water closets. Mike Drew, 1214 W. First St. 271f

WANTED—Have your wall paper cleaned and made as good as new. I can do it and guarantee it; give me a trial, also let me do your painting. Floyd Ankeny, telephone 15, Leake's drug store. 371f

WANTED. House, apartment or cottage, five or six rooms, any time between March 1 and May 1. Give full particulars in your reply. Address W. Care Telegraph. 401f

WANTED. 1000 horses. If you should lose a horse, cow, pig or goat, call McCoy and he will remove the blood; you don't have to dig in gravel or clay; no undertaker to pay; he will disinfect and take it away. Peter McCoy, Dixon Rendering Works. Phone 277. 4748

WANTED. Brick work, cement work, plastering and laying cement walks. Absolutely first class work. Get our estimates. For a short time we will make special prices. Volbre & Jules Dumon, 420 Peoria Ave. Phone 229. 641f

WANTED—A local representative wanted. No investment. All steel sectional garages and larger buildings. Attractive proposition. Full-time sales co-operation. Permanent, profitable. Representation in other cities wanted. Ruby Manufacturing Co., Jackson, Mich. 7213*

WANTED. Farmers. Call at the new feed shed, located at the old Wilbur-Lumber yards, one block east of bridge, corner Commercial alley and Ottawa Ave. Chas. M. Burket. Phone 954. 696*

WANTED—Your order for rugs to be made from old carpet. H. Squier, Agt. for Elgin Rug Co. Phone 14269, Dixon, Ill. 703mo

MALE HELP. Men our illustrated catalogue explains how we teach the barber trade in few weeks, mailed free. Write Moler College, Chicago, Ill. 714

WANTED Competent girl for general housework. Must be a good cook. Mrs. Louise Steel, Nachusa Tavern. 7112*

AGENTS. We have an article you can sell. If you want a live one address E. Care Telegraph. 733*

HAVE YOU \$50 to \$100. Would you invest it in something legitimate, permanent, good and sure if convinced of 10% to 100% returns each year? Be game enough to let me submit my proof of this wonderful opportunity. Address Metal, 1111 Westminster Bldg., Chicago. 733*

Lawyers, bring your brief and abstract work to the B. F. Shaw Ptg. Co., for quick and efficient service. 1f

WANTED—Three or four unfurnished rooms in modern house by married couple. D. 7485. 7213*

WANTED. Someone to scrub and clean hall and stairs in office building. Apply at this office. 721f

FOR SALE

FOR SALE—Some bargains in North Dakota land. E. A. Wadsworth, Langdon, Coldwater Co., N. Dak. 1f

FOR SALE. A choice building lot on Third St. 50x120. This includes a barn. For further particulars enquire of Miss Mary Wynn, 420 W. Third St. Tel. 929. 1f

FOR SALE. Northwest Missouri corn, clover and blue-grass farms. Best all-round farming country in the world. State soil map free. Bazel J. Meek Land Co., Chillicothe, Mo. 971f

FOR SALE. Stock and hatching eggs by setting or 100 lots of either White Wyandottes, White Leghorns, Buff Orpingtons, Mottled Minorcas, M. F. Martin, 3859 Park Ave., Chicago, Ill. 5315*

FOR SALE. Timothy seed at \$3 per bushel. Also Mammoth or Saplin clover and Alsike clover seed. Irvin Trump, Polo, Ill. Mutual Telephone. 5512*

FOR SALE. If you are thinking of getting a farm home of your own, why not talk it over with us? Let us introduce you to some of our satisfied customers who live in Dixon and vicinity. Improved farms from \$45 to \$60 per acre in best section of North Dakota. N. A. Cortright, J. M. Moline, Opera House block, Dixon, Ill. 1

FOR SALE. North Dakota farm lands improved farms, level, deep black soil, adapted for raising wheat, corn, barley and oats. Close to town, near school house, rural mail and telephone; excellent community. Fred V. Dale, Minot, N. D. 581f

FOR EXCHANGE. Several small tracts of land clear of encumbrance for Dixon property. Will assume or pay cash difference. Add. T. Care Telegraph. 101f

FOR SALE. Bluff Park Home. Eight room modern house, lot 100x150. Brick paved street; sewer, gas, electricity, city water, new heating apparatus with Rheostat, bath room and a sleeping porch. House in first class condition; choice location, in preferred residence district, yet close to business center. Price on application. Will exchange, smaller house or vacant property. E. C. Parsons, 523 Everett St. Phone 13479. 621f

FOR SALE. Handsome electric dome for dining room; very reasonable. Mrs. H. T. Noble, 204 Dement Ave. Phone 12837. 651f

FOR SALE—Easy payments. A 9-room house, lot 120 foot front and 150 feet deep. Furnace, fruit trees and grapes. Close to street car line, four blocks from one school and five blocks from another. Inquire at this office. 671f

FOR SALE. Desirable homes, 518 W. 2nd St. close to business, completely modern, \$3850. Also 8 room house in fine repair, 304 W. Chamberlain; furnace, gas, electricity, barn; all assessments paid, \$3100. Geo. B. Loveland. 696

FOR SALE. 7 room house with good furnace; lot 50x150 feet; also good barn on lot. For further particulars call at 2093 2nd St. or phone 14406. 723

FOR EXCHANGE. Fine seven room house, 319 Douglas Ave. Furnace, gas, electricity, cement cellar, cistern pump in kitchen, good full lot. Will exchange for a desirable and less expensive cottage. A bargain for someone who requires a large house. Look it over and report. Geo. C. Loveland. 723

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MARKETS, TIME TABLES, AND OTHER
TIMELY INFORMATION FOR READERS.

TIME MAILS CLOSES

The following table shows the time of the closing of all mail forwarded from the Dixon postoffice. Mail should be in the office ten minutes preceding the locking of the pouch to assure its dispatch.

East Mail.	
Train No. 6	3:00 a. m.
Train No. 28	6:55 a. m.
Train No. 20	10:40 a. m.
Train No. 4	3:55 p. m.
Train No. 12	5:40 p. m.
West Mail.	
Train No. 5	9:40 a. m.
Train No. 13	12:40 p. m.
Train No. 27	7:00 p. m.
Train No. 9	8:20 p. m.
Train No. 15	1:30 a. m.
South Mail.	
Train No. 119	6:55 a. m.
Train No. 10	10:40 a. m.
Train No. 131	4:50 p. m.
North Mail.	
Train No. 132	9:40 a. m.
Train No. 120	7:55 p. m.
Train No. 124	4:50 p. m.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.
Alice Duffy to Patrick Duffy, qcd \$1 eh neq 15; pt nwq 14; pt eh seq 10 Nelson.
David P. Crook to Frank Hettinger wd \$18,500, nh nwq; seq nwq 13, Harmon.

FOR SALE—8-foot round dining table, 1 golden oak library table, 1 steel range, 1 Round Oak heater, size 18; 2 rugs and other household furniture; 1 roll top desk, 1 Victor safe, 600 lbs.; at 723 Depot Ave. Phone 544. 711f

FOR SALE. Why pay rent? Would you like to have a farm home of your own in Ill. settlement, a farm that will produce corn, alfalfa, clover, blue grass, in a good livestock country with fine roads, telephones, mail delivery, churches and schools? Land from \$35 to \$55 per acre. Some farms have modern homes with all conveniences. See N. A. Cortright or J. M. Moline or drop a card to Room 28, Dixon National Bank Bldg. 671f

FOR SALE. Automobile. Light Hupmobile runabout. Includes top, windshield, etc. In good running order. \$225 cash if sold at once. Call at J. E. Miller garage. 661f

FOR SALE. North side lots, in Parsons' Addition, fronting on Fellows, Chamberlain, Main streets and Squires Avenue. Prices \$250 to \$750. Cash or easy payments. In E. C. Parsons' Black Hawk Park Addition, fronting on Rock river, Upnam and Boyd Streets. Prices \$150 to \$300. Cash or installments. E. C. Parsons, 523 Everett St. Phone 13479. 621f

FOR SALE. 1 roll top desk and Victor for sale 600 pounds, good as new. 723 Depot House 844. 691f

FOR SALE OR TRADE—40 acre tract irrigated land near Brighton, Colo. Address Mrs. Lillian Morse, Dixon, Ill. 1f

FOR SALE Cheap. 1 bed, mattress, two rockers, work table, oil stove and oven, center table, Round Oak heater, dishes, tinware and pictures. 514 Dixon Ave. 723*

FOR SALE—Black registered Percheron stallion, weight about 1900 pounds. This is a fine horse and I will sell or exchange him for a good span of mares that I can work on a farm. S. E. Johnson, real estate and loans. 721f

FOR SALE. Some bargains in North Dakota land. E. A. Wadsworth, Langdon, Cavalier Co., N. Dak. 731f

FOR SALE. Four 9x12 rugs and one folding bed. Enquire at 228 Lincoln Way. Phone 13703. 733

FOR RENT

FOR RENT. Vacuum cleaner. Enquire of H. L. Dollahan, The Electrical Contractor. 686

FOR RENT—Large furnished room, rent reasonable. Call at 321 East First street or phone 12527. 651f

FOR RENT. House of 7 rooms, city water and gas, and large garden, on East Eighth St. between Galena and Ottawa. Enquire of Andrew Phelan, 714 Galena Ave. Phone 13663. 723

FOR RENT—Furnished rooms in a new house, all modern, 3 blocks from postoffice. Call at 315 East Sec.

MARKETS

Local prices paid for grain:

	Mixed White
Oats	54 55
	White. Yellow.
Corn	63 64

Fuel—Retail Prices.

Hard coal (nut)	\$9.60
Hard coal (egg)	9.35
Soft coal (nut)	4.25
Soft coal (lump)	\$4.00 to 6.25
Coke (Milwaukee)	7.25
Wood, oak, 4-ft. cord	5.50

Local Produce Quotations.

	Pay	Sell
Chickens	17	21
Eggs	15	11
Creamery utter	34	34
Dairy butter	25	30
Lard	11	15
Potatoes	50	70

LOCAL MILK PRICES.

During April	1.30
3 cents extra per point will be paid for milk testing above 3 per cent butter fat.	

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	Open	High	Low	Close
Wheat—				
May 149	150	148	149 3/4	
July 119	121	118 1/4	121 1/4	
Sept 108 1/2	109 1/2	108	109 1/2	

May 71 1/2	72 1/2	71 1/2	72 1/2
July 74 1/2	75 1/2	73 1/2	75 1/2
Sept 46	46 1/2	46	46 1/2

May 1742	1747	1737	1745
July 1785	1795	17828	1787
Sept 1025	1039	1017	1025
July 1055	1057	1045	1055

May 1005	1005	1002	1002
July 1032	1037	1030	1032

Hogs open strong to 5c higher.
None left over.
Light—655 to 687 1-2.
Mixed—660 to 690.
Heavy—660 to 68 5/8.
Rough—660 to 670.
Cattle steady to 10c lower.
Sheep strong.

Receipts today—
Hogs—28,000.
Cattle—13,000.
Sheep—12,000.
Hogs close 5 to 10c higher.
Estimated tomorrow—21,000.

SUMMING UP THE
EVIDENCE

MANY DIXON PEOPLE HAVE BEEN CALLED AS WITNESSES.

Week after week has been published the testimony of Dixon people—kidney sufferers—backache victims—people who have endured many forms of kidney, bladder or urinary disorders. These witnesses have used Doan's Kidney Pills. All have given their enthusiastic approval. It's the same everywhere, 30,000 American men and women are publicly recommending Doan's—always in the home papers. Isn't it a wonderful convincing proof? If you are a sufferer your verdict must be "Try Doan's first."

Here's one more Dixon case. W. H. Gillespie, 711 Nachusa ave., Dixon, says: My back often gets so lame and sore that it is painful for me to stoop over. I have headaches and dizzy spells; whenever any of these attacks come on, I use Doan's Kidney Pills, and they promptly remove the pain in my back and relieve the headaches and dizzy spells.

Price 50c, at all dealers. Don't simply ask for a kidney remedy—get Doan's Kidney Pills—the same that Mr. Gillespie had. Foster-Milburn Co., Props., Buffalo, N. Y.

Attorney Charles B. Morrison came out from Chicago for an over Sunday visit with his family.

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TIME TABLE

ILLINOIS CENTRAL RY.

Correct time of all trains leaving Dixon that carry passengers and freight. *Daily. **Daily except Sunday.

South Bound.	
Local Express, Dly ex Sun	7:15 a. m.
123 Southern Exp.	11:10 a. m.
121 Clinton Exp.*	5:10 p. m.
North Bound.	
132 Waterloo Exp.*	10:06 a. m.
120 Local Mail	5:10 p. m.
120 Local Exp.*	8:19 p. m.
Freeport Freight*	12:30 p. m.

CHICAGO & NORTHWESTERN RY.

Correct time of all passenger trains leaving Dixon. Daily except where otherwise specified:

East Bound to Chicago.	
No. Lv. Dixon	Ar. Chicago
6 3:23 a. m.	6:45 a. m.
24 6:23 a. m.	9:05 p. m.
28 7:21 a. m. dly ex Sun	10:30 a. m.
18 8:05 a. m.	11:00 a. m.
10 10:49 a. m. dly	1:30 p. m.
20 11:01 a. m. dly ex Sun	2:25 p. m.
4 4:21 p. m. dly ex Sun	7:25 p. m.
100 4:15 p. m. Sun only	7:25 p. m.
12 6:10 p. m.	8:45 p. m.

West Bound.

No. Lv. Chicago	Ar. Dixon
5 7:00 a. m. ex Sun	10:20 a. m.
99 7:10 a. m. Sun only	10:23 a. m.
13 10:30 a. m.	1:05 p. m.
19 12:15 p. m. dly ex Sun	3:34 p. m.
27 4:20 p. m. dly ex Sun	7:26 p. m.
11 6:05 p. m.	8:40 p. m.
25 6:10 p. m.	8:57 p. m.
17 9:31 p. m.	11:53 p. m.
*7 10:02 p. m.	12:36 a. m.
3 10:45 p. m.	1:57 a. m.

No. Lv. Dixon

Ar. Peoria

801 8:35 Peoria Pas

12:05 p. m.

*Los Angeles Limited.

No. 17 stops only for passengers to Granger, Wyo. or beyond.

INTERURBAN LINE.

Correct time of the departure of cars on the S. D. & E. E. Ry., in effect on February 1, 1915:

Lv. Dixon	Ar. Sterling
5:45	6:45
7:30	8:15
9:00	9:45
10:30	11:15
12:01	12:01
1:00	1:00
2:00	2:00
3:00	3:00
4:00	4:00
5:00	5:00
6:00	6:00
7:00	7:00
8:00	8:00
9:00	9:45
10:45	11:30

SAY PEACH CROP DEAD

A. M. Augustine, the normal nurseryman, states that peaches in central section of Illinois have been killed by the severe winter weather. The peaches in this section will not stand 12 degrees below zero and the low temperatures in December disposed of this season's crop possibilities. Indications are for a big crop of apples although pears and cherries are some what hurt. Small fruits show a good yield.

When your head aches you simply must have relief or you will go wild. It's needless to suffer when you can take a remedy like Dr. James' Headache Powders and relieve the pain and neuralgia at once. Send someone to the drug store now for a dime package of Dr. James' Headache Powders. Don't suffer! In a few moments you will feel fine—headache gone—no more neuralgia pain.

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OBREGON TELLS OF DISORDER

Carranza General Describes Hellish
Deeds by Zapatistas.

Washington, March 29.—The agency gave out the following from General Obregon with regard to alleged events and conditions at Mexico City:

"I beg to inform you concerning the events since the Zapatistas entered this city. These men, together with the Cientificos, the clericals and ex-federals, hung the image of the Virgin of Guadalupe from the center balcony of the national palace attended by a guard of infantry. The plates naming the avenues of Francis I. Madero, Jose M. Pino Suarez and Aquiles Cerdan were torn off the corners. This profanation was carried out amid loud rejoicing of the clericals, the ex-federals and the so-called aristocrats. After killing Mc Manus and looting his house the Zapatistas looted four pawn shops. On the 15th they entered the home of a Frenchman at San Pedro de Los Finos and tied him with a rope and ravished his wife in his presence."

Rodenberger Acquitted.

East St. Louis, March 29.—William R. Rodenberger, former acting controller of East St. Louis, was acquitted by a jury in the city court of East St. Louis of a charge of embezzlement of books and records. The indictment against the former controller was based on the disappearance of books and records from his office while he was on a three-day fishing trip in September, 1913.

Illinois "Cures" Twelve Dope Users.
Springfield, Ill., March 29.—Twelve persons addicted to the drug habit, who appealed to the state for aid when the federal law which went into effect March 1 cut off their supply, have been discharged from the state hospital at Jacksonville, apparently cured, Governor Dunne announces. Others are being treated.

New Rails for Eastern Illinois.
Chicago, March 29.—Announcement was made by the Chicago and Eastern Illinois that they expect to start on their regular maintenance of way program April 1. This is usually done after July 1. Plans of the railroad involve the purchase of about 10,000 tons of rails and the necessary ties to go with them.

Pioneer Manufacturer Dies.
Joliet, Ill., March 29.—Irving D. Stevens, pioneer resident of Joliet and manufacturer, is dead of his home there. For the last fourteen years he had been connected with Chicago manufacturing industries, at the time of his death being head of the Stevens Manufacturing company.

Woman and Child Burn.
Ottawa, Ill., March 29.—The charred bodies of Mrs. David Starke and her eleven months old daughter were found in the ruins of their home on an island in the Illinois river near Starved Rock State park.

NO INFORMATION ON PEACE

Washington Ignorant of Basis of Belief for Peace in Thirty Days.

Washington, March 29.—No information of a positive character has reached Washington with regard to the date of peace in Europe. Officials here declare that they are unaware of whatever information it is that has reached Philadelphia bankers leading them to conclude that the war will be over within thirty days.

Estimates here as to the probable length of the war are as widely varying now as in the first weeks of the great conflict. They range all the way from predictions that the bulk of the fighting will end this summer to the belief that the war will go on for several years.

VON DER GOLTZ CONFIDENT

He Thinks Allies' Attack on Dardanelles Will Fail.

London, March 29.—Field Marshal Von Der Goltz, in an interview, says that he left Constantinople to show how little disturbed he was over the allies' attack on the Dardanelles and says that he is more convinced than ever that the allies attack will not be successful.

A dozen rounds were fired over the Gallipoli peninsula yesterday by warships in the Gulf of Sarcos. The bombardment was followed by smoke arising from Kilada Pashir.

OIL

Your Street Right

The following is a copy of the contract we ask you to sign if you want us to oil your street. Authorize some member of your family to sign the contract when my agent calls on you, if you are not at home.

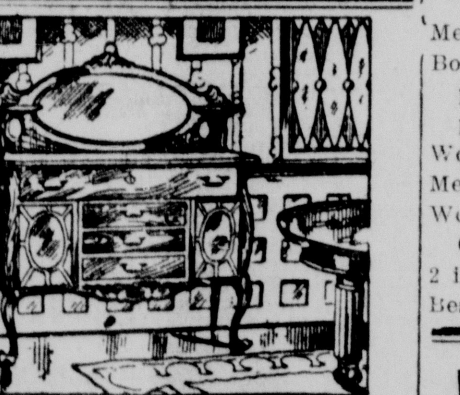
This oil does not track into your house; it stays on the street.

We hereby agree as party of the first part and all parties hereinafter signing as parties of the second part to the following:

Party of the first part agrees to sweep and oil street or road herein mentioned for amount stated in this contract. Oil to be a guaranteed 60% Asphaltic road oil to be applied hot and under a pressure of not greater than 60 lbs. Oil to be sprayed on surface of street or road so it will not puddle or run leaving a smooth, sleek surface shortly after being applied. For such sweeping or oiling of said street or road parties of the second part agree to pay party of the first part per square yard for one application and cents per square yard for two applications.

Payment for each application due immediately upon completion of each application. Each street to be swept and oiled at time herein stated, first application Second application a reasonable allowance must be made regarding weather conditions.

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NORTH DAKOTA LAND.

Write E. A. Wadsworth, Langdon, N. Dak., if you are interested in Dakota lands. 73tf

If in need of electric lamps, phone 771 and I will deliver them. Madza or the new Nitrogen lamps. If you are contemplating wiring your old or new house, phone 771 and my representative will call. Will J. Cahill. 73 4

FOR SALE.

Fine calf. Enquire at 324 E. First St. tf

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Children's gun metal button, sizes 8 1/2 to 11 1/2, pair\$1.25
Misses gun metal button, sizes 12 to 2, pair\$1.50
Boys' gun metal button, sizes 9 to 13, pair\$1.00

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Men's rubber boots, pair . . . \$2.85
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